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CORE SECTOR OUTPUT RISES TO A 13-MONTH HIGH OF 6.3% IN AUGUST

India's eight key infrastructure sectors' growth jumped to a 13-month high on account of expansion in coal, steel, and cement production

AUGUST NUMBERS FLIP MUTED JULY FIGURES

The core sectors' output growth was 3.7 per cent in the previous month of July. It was (-) 1.5 per cent in August last year. Earlier, the similar pace of growth at 6.3 per cent was recorded in July 2024. During April-August of this fiscal year, the eight infrastructure sectors expanded by 2.8 per cent, compared to a rise of 4.6 per cent in the same period last year

STEEL, CEMENT PRODUCTION LED GROWTH

- Coal, steel, and cement production rose to 11.4 per cent, 14.2 per cent and 6.1 per cent, respectively, during August, the data showed
- Refinery products, fertiliser, and electricity output rose by 3 per cent, 4.6 per cent, and 3.1 per cent respectively within the same time span. However, crude oil and natural gas recorded negative growth | **P15**

-1.5%

WAS THE CORE SECTOR OUTPUT GROWTH IN AUGUST LAST YEAR

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Car showrooms, retail outlets, online platforms witness record sales on Day 1

GST 2.0 kicks in, sees festive buying rush

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

CAR showrooms, retail outlets, and e-commerce platforms saw brisk sales on the first day of GST 2.0 on Monday, which coincided with the start of the festive season. Fuelled by the pent-up demand and sharp reduction in prices on the back of lower tax rates under the new GST regime, shoppers flocked to marketplaces as businesses lined up additional discounts to cash in on the rush.

Partho Banerjee, senior executive officer, marketing & sales at Maruti Suzuki, said customers' response has been phenomenal.

"We recorded 80,000 enquiries, and have already delivered over 25,000 cars, with deliveries expected to touch 30,000 shortly. Since September 18 when we announced additional price reduction (over and above GST), we have received 75,000 bookings, with nearly 15,000 bookings coming in every day—50% higher than usual," said Banerjee.

Tarun Garg, whole-time director and COO at Hyundai Motor India, said the festive mood, boosted by GST reforms, has infused strong positivity into the market. On Monday, Hyundai recorded 11,000 dealer billings—its highest single-day performance in five years.

Amit Kamat, chief commercial officer at Tata Motors Passenger Vehicles, said the rate cut has led to a surge in bookings, with a spike in showroom walk-ins, higher conversions, and a growing order book.

"Our dealerships have opened early and extended their working hours to welcome the festive rush. With a strong pipeline of bookings and scheduled deliveries, we are fully geared to meet the festive demand and are optimistic about setting new records this festive season," said Kumar.

The automotive industry is estimated to have seen a 20-30% surge in bookings.

The white goods segment also witnessed an uptick in bookings and sales on Monday as GST on air conditioners, refrigerators, washing machines, dishwashers, and large-screen TVs dropped from 28% to 18%.

NO DIWALI GIFTS: GOVT

While govt has extended festive cheer to the public, it asked its offices not to spend on gifts. "No expenditure shall be incurred on gifts... for Diwali and other festivals by Ministries/Depts," read a circular by P K Singh, joint secretary, Dept of Expenditure

GST SAVINGS FEST BEGINS, TIME TO GO SWADESHI

My Fellow Indians,
Namaskar!

The Next Generation GST reforms have begun to make their presence felt, marking the start of a 'GST Bachat Utsav' or 'GST Savings Festival' across the country

These reforms will boost savings and directly benefit every section of society, be it farmers, women, youth, poor, middle class, traders or MSMEs

Heartening to see various shopkeepers and traders putting up 'then and now' boards which indicate taxes pre-reforms and post-reforms

Income tax cuts and Next Gen GST reforms taken together add up to savings of nearly ₹2.5 lakh crore for the people

This festive season, let us also resolve to support products that are Made in India. This means buying Swadeshi products that have the sweat and toil of an Indian involved in their making, irrespective of the brand or the company that makes them

I appeal to our shopkeepers and traders to sell products that are Made in India. Let us proudly say – what we buy is Swadeshi

NARENDRA MODI

HICCUPS GALORE

Survey faces tech snags, gets off to slow start

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI @ Bengaluru

THE Socio, Economic and Educational Survey-2025 by the Karnataka State Commission for Backward Classes encountered many hiccups, including a PIL before the high court seeking postponement, and got off to a slow start on its first day on Monday. Enumerators across the state complained that they faced technical glitches including problems in logging on to the mobile application, server issues and lack of proper training.

In Kalaburagi, Ballari, Hubballi, Shivamogga and Haveri districts, the enumerators, who are teachers, faced technical glitches and the survey was delayed.

It did not take off in Bengaluru, except in its rural parts, as enumerators had not been trained because of issues arising out of the capital city being divided into five corporations and an overarching body, the Greater Bengaluru Authority, being formed.

Commission Chairman Madhusudan R Naik, dismissing rumours of the survey getting postponed, expressed confidence that the high court will not interfere in it. "There is no question of postponing the survey. We are (the commission) a legitimate constitutional body. No one can pressure us. Some people have filed a writ petition in the court seeking postponement. The commission has been made a respondent in this petition. The complainant has requested an interim order. We have not added any new caste, nor have we given importance to castes. That is why we think the court will not interfere," he said.

"We are conducting a social and educational survey. We are not conducting a caste census. Since there is a central government census, some people are creating this misconception that we are conducting a caste census. This may be due to political opposition or misconception. This is betrayal of seven crore people of the state. We will go to court to take action against those spreading such false news," he said. **P4**

HC to hear pleas for stay of survey

The Karnataka High Court posted a batch of petitions questioning the legality of the Karnataka Social-Educational Survey for a hearing on an interim plea to stay the survey for Tuesday | **P4**

The CM, who should be thinking about the development of the state, is involving himself in attempts to divide Hindu society. This is unfortunate

B Y Vijayendra, K'taka BJP president

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EXPRESS READ

DA case against DKS: SC bench to hear CBI plea

New Delhi: The Supreme Court on Monday said a bench led by Justice Surya Kant would take up hearing on the Karnataka government's decision to withdraw consent to the Central Bureau of Investigation to investigate a disproportionate assets case against Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar | **P7**

8-yr-old boy swept away at Murudeshwar beach

Murudeshwar: An eight-year-old boy from Bengaluru was swept away by strong waves at Murudeshwar beach in Uttara Kannada district on Monday morning. The child, identified as Kritik Reddy, had come to Murudeshwar with his parents and extended family on a holiday on Sunday | **P3**

Passenger tries to open cockpit door on AI flight

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

A passenger on an Air India Express flight (IX-1086) from Bengaluru to Varanasi on Monday attempted to enter the aircraft's cockpit, claiming that he tried to open it by mistake as he is a first-time flyer and was looking for the toilet, sources said.

He also tried to enter a code into the passcode-controlled locking mechanism, but was unsuccessful, the sources said.

The passenger and eight of his companions on the flight were handed over to security officials at the Varanasi airport.

There was some speculation that he had entered the correct passcode, but sources with direct knowledge of the matter said that was not the case. The cockpit access code is known only to the pilots and the cabin crew.

The flight took off from the Kempegowda International Airport at 8 am and landed in Varanasi at 10.27 am, 10 minutes earlier than the scheduled time. **CONTINUED ON P7**

Dasara a heartbeat, gives message of harmony: Banu

KARTHIK KK @ Mysuru

MYSURU Dasara is not just a festival, but the very heartbeat of the land. It is a celebration of culture that unites people beyond boundaries, said International Booker Prize winner Banu Mushtaq, inaugurating Mysuru Dasara here on Monday. After floral offerings to Goddess Chamundeshwari, she said Dasara transcends religion, caste and language, and urged people to embrace harmony in a world torn apart by violence and hatred.

In the run-up to the Dasara, Mushtaq had faced opposition over the inauguration of the festivities as she is from the minority community. She said, "What cannot be won with weapons can be won with words. Life blossoms not through hatred, but through love. Dasara is not just a festival but the pulse of our people, a cultural confluence that binds us all."

She said her personal journey taught her that the true path of life lies in moving from individuality to collectivity. She described her philosophy of life as "Jeevapara", comparing it to the shade of a tree or the coolness of a flowing river in a burning world.

Recalling the legacy of Maharaja Jayachamarajendra Wadiyar, with whom her uncle was a sepoy, she said the king had Muslim bodyguards in his service, which is an example of harmony and trust.

"Democracy is not just a system, but a value. It is about respecting every voice, living meaningfully in each others' lives, and recognising that the earth does not reject us, the sky does not divide us. Only humans draw boundaries," she said. **P4**

Writer Banu Mushtaq, CM Siddaramaiah and others offer flowers to Goddess Chamundeshwari in Mysuru on Monday | UDAYASHANKAR S

EAM, Rubio hold wide-ranging discussion

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

EXTERNAL Affairs Minister S Jaishankar and US Secretary of State Marco Rubio on Monday held their first in-person meeting ever since Washington imposed steep tariffs on key Indian exports over Delhi's continued purchases of Russian oil.

Following the meeting in New York, Jaishankar posted on X that both sides "agreed on the importance of sustained engagement" on priority areas, signaling a mutual intent to keep the dialogue open amid rising trade and geopolitical tensions. "Our conversation covered a range of bilateral and international issues of current concern. Agreed on the importance of sustained engagement to progress on priority areas," Jaishankar said.

The meeting took place on the sidelines of the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) and comes as India-US trade talks resume in Washington, led by Union commerce minister Piyush Goyal. These negotiations follow a shift in tone from President Donald Trump, who recently indicated his administration was working to resolve key trade irritants with India, which still remains a work in progress.

Sources said the Jaishankar–Rubio talks covered a wide range of bilateral and global issues, including economic cooperation, energy security, and regional stability in the Indo-Pacific. Monday's talks are seen as a crucial step in stabilising the broader India-US strategic partnership, which remains strong on defence, tech and Indo-Pacific coordination.

S Jaishankar

Marco Rubio

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Black Currant	₹300	₹270
Van-Choco Ripple	₹300	₹270
Pink Guava	₹300	₹270
Anjir	₹320	₹290
Chikku	₹320	₹290
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WEATHER

MIN 20°C | MAX 27°C

FORECAST

Passing showers. Overcast

Sunrise 06.08 am | Sunset 06.15 pm | Moonrise 07.07 am | Moonset 07.09 pm

Dog-feeding drive on hold, onus on commissioners

Activist says in the absence of RWAs, the duty falls upon the local authority

AKNISREE KARTHIK @ Bengaluru

IN the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike's (BBMP) transition to Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA), the ambitious dog feeding initiative has been put on hold. The BBMP had charted out a plan to feed around 4,000 stray dogs every day morning with one meal of chicken rice at an estimated cost of Rs 2.88 crore a year.

A senior official stated that when the dog feeding file was submitted to GBA Chief Commissioner M Maheshwar Rao for clearance, he indicated that it is now up to the five corporations to decide.

"During the Covid-19 pandemic, BBMP initiated feeding the community (street) dogs. As a statutory requirement, in accordance with the Animal Birth Control Rules, 2023, notified by the Animal Welfare Board of India (AWBI), the BBMP charted a plan in July to feed street dogs. The intention behind scheme was to reduce aggression among dogs and to reduce instances of dog bites", the senior official said.

"As per our plan, we aimed to feed 4,000 dogs out of the estimated 2.7 lakh in the city with chicken rice, weighing 367 grams, that would provide them with 750 calories. The civic body also went ahead to identify places for the dog feeding initiative and was gearing up to float tenders. However, before that, the BBMP's era ended and GBA was born with five corporations," he said.

The senior official said the plan was sent for approval to GBA Chief Commissioner Maheshwar Rao, who, in turn, said the decision now has to be taken by the five corporation commissioners.

Bengaluru-based animal rights activist Arun Prasad said, "Due to door-to-door collection of garbage, the scavengers, who were dependent on leftover food, do not have a food source, and hence feeding animals under Rule 20(1) of ABC Rules 2023 is crucial for all street animals. As per the rule, if a particular community does not have any feeders, it shall be the responsibility of the Resident Welfare Association to ensure every street animal has access to food and water. In the absence of RWAs, the duty falls upon the local authority, which is GBA in Bengaluru.'

By now, the dog feeding should have commenced. Due to the GBA formation, it is delayed. All five corporations must feed street dogs immediately, he said.

City chiefs hold meets, tell officials to act

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

AFTER strict directions from DCM DK Shivakumar to carry out inspections of their jurisdictions every day, commissioners of corporations were on rounds on Monday. They inspected roads, footpaths, Indira canteens, PHCs, pourakarmika mustering points and others and gave directions to officials. They also held review meetings on filling up of potholes and other major issues.

Bengaluru South City Corporation Commissioner KN Ramesh inspected the historic Banashankari Temple and the adjacent Sarakki Market. He directed officials to clear blackspots and footpath encroachments between the temple and market.

Bengaluru East City Corporation Commissioner DS Ramesh convened a coordination meeting with officials from all engineering divisions of the city corporation, as well as representatives from Bescom, KPTCL, BWSSB, GAIL, Railways and police department. He told the officials that lack of basic infrastructure within the East City Corporation has caused national-level embarrassment. He issued strict instructions to complete all pending road and pothole-related works within the next 15 days.

Bengaluru West City Corporation Commissioner Dr Rajendra KV inspected various locations within Moodalapalya Ward of the Govindarajanagar division. Bengaluru North City Corporation Commissioner Pommala Sunil Kumar reviewed the progress of road works spanning approximately 9.7 km from Nagawara to Thanisandra-Bellary Main Road via Bellahalli to Reva Circle on Bagalur Main Road; approximately 2.5 km from Reva Circle to NH-7 (Bagalur Cross) and about 3.5 km from Kogilu village through Agrahara Sampigehalli to MCECHS Layout.

Bengaluru Central City Commissioner Rajendra Cholan met contractors and corporation officials and warned them of strict action if they fail to make roads motorable. He directed officials to slap fines on BWSSB if they do not repair roads they dig up.

Phone-in by North commissioner every Friday

Sunil Kumar will conduct a phone-in programme every Friday from 11 am to 1 pm. This will begin on September 26. Citizens can register their complaints, which will be directly communicated to officials and the performance of the staff will be evaluated. The control room contact numbers are --9480685705 and landline --080-22975936 / 080-23636671

GBA's road infra dept merged with BSMILE

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Road Infrastructure Department of the Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA) has been merged with the Bengaluru Smart Infrastructure Limited (BSMILE), which will execute works to the tune of Rs 2,660 crore. These include two different white-topping packages to the tune of Rs 800 crore and Rs 900 crore, Ejipura flyover work for Rs 307 crore, and the Rs 273-crore high-density corridor project, among others.

As per the new government order, Raghavendra Prasad BG will be the chief engineer for both the Bengaluru Solid Waste Management Company, as well as BSMILE, and execute and complete the ongoing works of the Ejipura flyover, high-density corridor, Rotary flyover at IOC Junction, and ROB at Byappanahalli at a cost of Rs 380 crore, and white-topping work of two different packages of Rs 800 and Rs 900 through BSMILE.

"Prasad will oversee the works, and once completed, hand them over to the concerned corporation for their annual maintenance," said an official, adding that the previous chief engineer, SV Rajesh, was moved to the Project Implementation unit from the Stormwater Drain Department to execute the Rs 2,000-crore stormwater drain lake buffer zone project.

Unlike Rajesh, who will be under the GBA's direct purview, Prasad will have to report to BSMILE Director (Technical), while other chief engineers under BSMILE will also have to report to the BSMILE chief.

RERA order to collect 'delay fee' quashed

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

IN a relief to developers and promoters, the Karnataka High Court quashed a circular issued on September 3, 2020, by RERA-K, mandating a "delay fee" for belated submission of quarterly updates and annual audit statements, without distinction to the scale of the project, the stage of development, or the peculiar circumstances surrounding it.

Justice M Nagaprasanna passed the order while allowing 75 petitions by builders, developers and promoters questioning the impugned circular. The court said if RERA wanted to impose a pecuniary burden on any citizen, however big or small, it cannot be presumed nor can it be implied; it must be through legislation. If the legislation delegates such power, the delegation must be express, unambiguous and circumscribed within the boundaries of the legislation's policy. Tested on the anvil of these principles, the impugned circular stands exposed as utterly failing of statutory parentage.

Reliance on Sections 11, 34 and 37 of the Real Estate (Regulation and Development) Act, 2016, by RERA is wholly misplaced. Therefore, from any of these provisions, the "delay fee" cannot be imposed. The circular to impose it is arbitrary, illegal and void. The petitioners in all these cases become entitled to consequential benefits that would flow from the quashment of the circular. The quashment will not come in the way of legislation or imposition of subject fee in a manner known to law, the court said.

DAY WITH DEVI

On the first day of Dasara, devotees visit the Gangamma Devi temple, walking past statues of gods and goddesses, in Malleswaram on Monday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

EXPRESS READ

eKhata initiative wins award

BENGALURU: The Government of India has honoured the eKhata initiative of BBMP (now GBA) with the National eGovernance Award 2025 at the 28th National eGov Awards ceremony on Monday. The eKhata project, envisioned by DCM DK Shivakumar, was recognised for its pioneering role in digitising property records, ensuring transparency, and strengthening citizen service delivery in Bengaluru. The award, which consists a cash prize of Rs 10 lakh, was received by Tushar Girinath, Additional Chief Secretary, Urban Development Department; Munish Moudgil, Special Commissioner, GBA; and Lakshmidevi, Joint Commissioner, Revenue; among others.

UG NEET admissions: KEA opens fresh registration from Sept 25

BENGALURU: The KEA will announce the final results of the second round of medical and dental seat allotment, and the third round for AYUSH courses, on September 23. Following the results, candidates must pay the fees and download the seat allotment order by September 26, and report to their allotted colleges by September 28. Out of the 774 candidates who secured medical seats through both the All India Quota (MCC) and KEA, those wishing to retain their MCC seat were given a day's time to surrender the KEA allotment. The seats thus vacated will be added back to the same round, and KEA will publish the revised allotment results. He further announced that students who have not yet applied for medical courses will be allowed to register afresh between September 25 and 29. CET applicants can also enter their UG NEET roll numbers on the KEA portal from September 29 to October 3. For the mop-up round, all candidates must submit fresh options, enabling them to choose based on available seats.

Dasara, Deepavali rebate sale at Co-Optex

BENGALURU: Ahead of Dasara and Deepavali, the Tamil Nadu Handloom Weavers' Co-operative Society Ltd, popularly known as 'Co-Optex', has announced a rebate of up to 30% on silk and cotton varieties. The rebate — on silk sarees, Coimbatore soft silk, cotton sarees, kora cotton sarees, bridegroom sets, bedsheets, pillow covers, lungis, carpets, towels, kurtis, chudidar material, and shirts — will be till November 30, said N Sundar Rajan, Regional Manager, Co-Optex Regional Office, Bangalore. Co-Optex also has the 'Co-optex Monthly Saving Scheme', wherein customers can avail 58% additional benefit on their savings. The savings scheme starts from Rs 300 onwards, Rajan said.

New corpns to take forward erstwhile BBMP's sapling plantation initiative

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

FOLLOWING the split of BBMP, the Green Bengaluru programme initiated by Deputy CM DK Shivakumar, who also holds the Bengaluru Development portfolio, will be implemented by the five new corporations under the GBA.

In the 2025 budget, a target of planting 5 lakh saplings was set. As of now, 84,100 saplings have been planted. However, which corporation will plant the largest number of saplings in their respective limits is yet to be decided. Sources said that depending on the availability of space and requisition, the numbers will be split. The budget allocation for the forest cell of the then BBMP was Rs 51.69 crore.

According to an official, 8.1 lakh saplings have been planted across the city since 2021 to help it maintain its Garden City reputation. A total of 19,313 trees were axed for development in this period.

The current phase assigns planting responsibilities to the newly formed corporations. As of this phase, 4,15,900 saplings still need to be planted. After assessing area availability, the need, and demand, each corporation's share will be determined, and they will be authorised to float tenders and issue work orders.

According to an informed source, the Tree Committee, which was established following a High Court directive to give permission for tree cutting for development projects and others, will remain a centralised one. The committee will continue to look into the petition for tree cutting if it involves felling of 50-plus trees for a development project.

Meanwhile, GBA's Forest Cell has sent a proposal to the state forest department seeking more staff for the five corporations. At present, including the Deputy Conservator of Forest in GBA, there are 17 staffers, while the required strength is 55.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

23RD September : There's been more news recently about possible asteroid crashes. Most cultures have folk-memories of a cosmic catastrophe which hit the Earth at the dawn of history. It's possible that one comet-collision around 10,000 BC might actually have contributed to the end of the last ice-age and the emergence of human civilisation as we know it.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
If the situation arises, do allow yourself to feel sentimental. The Moon's relationship with an emotional part of your solar horoscope may encourage tears, but they could be for joy as much as for sadness. Don't harden your heart - you'll miss out!

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Looking ahead over the next few weeks it is clear that your costs are about to rise. Agreed, you may have one or two accounts to settle, but the dominant message points towards indulgence and luxury. But, then, life must be about pleasure as much as pain!

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
You're entering a professional phase during which personal contacts will be increasingly important. Over the next few days, misunderstandings could mar your relationships, so do make an effort to see that everything is crystal clear, even to people who usually misunderstand the simplest things.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
It's 'all change' in the heavens, with good news and bad over the next eight weeks. On the one hand you'll be attracted towards an increasingly mystical perspective; on the other, you may be vulnerable to vague doubts and suspicions. Try to focus on the facts.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
You will soon begin to see dramatic shifts in the planetary alignment, and you may be gripped by a mood of increasing anticipation, perhaps of irritation, possibly of hope. There will undoubtedly be moments when a little self-control will be vital.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
The general situation is quite busy, but you're going to have to be on the ball if you want to avoid being ripped-off or walked on. It's all a matter of knowing when to say 'yes', and when to say 'no'. Of course, that's much easier advice to give than to follow!

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
The general celestial emphasis is now moving away from those old family issues, so do move to resolve all unanswered mysteries or unresolved complications. You should make sure that relatives appreciate your finer qualities, even though you might be unwilling to compromise.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Good communication is still of the essence. It looks as if one plan may run into a spot of opposition, but that if you marshal all your facts you may pluck success from the jaws of disaster. Sometimes, though, it's not that easy to find the right words. That shouldn't stop you trying!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Like everybody else you are going through a few changes. However, in your case money seems to be the crucial factor. The good news now is that you may at last make firm arrangements for future security - and take precautions in case of emotional eruptions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
The celestial emphasis swings towards thoughts of future prosperity. You may play your cards right and secure all available options, ensuring that you can then make your choices in your own time. Also, feel free to share your real feelings with loved ones.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Your stars swing into gambling mode. Emotional risks are as likely as financial ones, which means that romantic riches may be your reward even if a cash bonus does elude you. Close partners may be in a jumpy mood, by the way, so do your best not to provoke.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Venus and Mars occupy emotional positions that will leave you happy to risk a conflict, but far too sensitive to take the consequences. You may decide you've enough on your plate, certainly too much to get involved in a pointless, personal flap.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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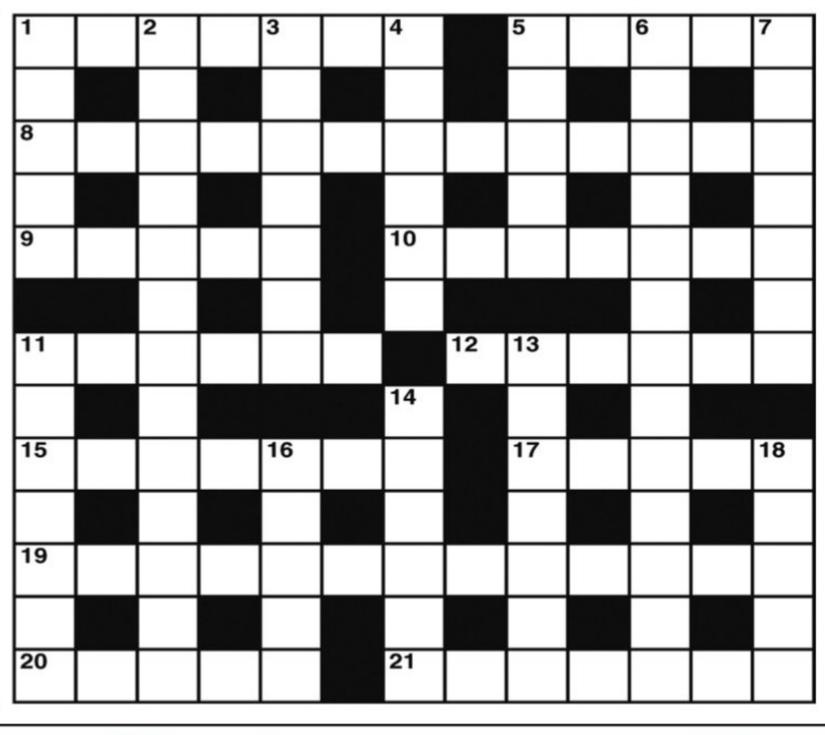

CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Far from friendly (7)
5 Avoid Kansas City (5)
8 Does he prescribe medicines by the score? (6,2,5)
9 Girl's returning a plant (5)
10 Speech gets publicity coverage (7)
11 Where porpoises are taught? (6)
12 Expert in Judo beaten (6)
15 Renew an agreement - it's free (7)
17 Flags outside the home (5)
19 Useful supplement for a soldier's pay? (7,6)
20 Stories that may be read anyway (5)
21 Gets ready to eat or to be eaten (7)

DOWN

1 There's a point in clothes for dandies (5)
2 A box normally has one even if not hungry (6,7)
3 Head off disaster and have a party with fruit (7)
4 Hammer-thrower has a number on his chest (6)
5 Many set up a public protest - for St Peter's? (5)
6 Nor is distaste a result of such writing (13)
7 Pardoned and discharged (7)
11 Persist in making military awards for arms (7)
13 Cost price (7)
14 Fed up having to stop on guard (6)
16 Gather in great numbers for a service (5)
18 Exhibits mean nothing to writers (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Cheer, 8 Steerage, 9 Rivet, 10 Masthead, 11 Whine, 12 Web, 16 Beetle, 17 Abides, 18 Day, 23 Refit, 24 Conifers, 25 Allay, 26 Proceeds, 27 Idler.

Down: 2 Heighten, 3 Eternity, 4 At ease, 5 Perth, 6 Laced, 7 Ready, 12 Wed, 13 Bay, 14 Libelled, 15 Celibate, 19 Abrade, 20 Scope, 21 On top, 22 Offer.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

DBYUD

NUAAS

FSNTEO

DDCAEE

I kinda make people think.
That's wild. We've got stories too.
It's funny how much we have in common.
Things just kinda stop when I come around.
WHEN THE 1, 3, QUESTION MARK AND PERIOD MET, THEY DISCUSSED ---
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: WOUND LOGIC MANNER GLOOMY
Answer: She knew the difference between stratus, cirrus and cumulus and was — ON CLOUD NINE

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A 19-year-old nursing student allegedly died by suicide at a post-matric girls' hostel under the Social Welfare Department in Belagavi, on Monday. The deceased, Sumitra Gokak, was from Gokak taluk. Sumitra asked her classmates to leave for college. Hostel mates grew suspicious and alerted authorities. She was later discovered han-ging inside her room. A suicide note was found at the scene in which she stated that she is responsible for her death

Hoax caller tries to threaten Sudha Murty

Plaint filed, number displaced as 'Telecom dept'

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POSING as a telecommunications ministry employee, a cyber fraudster dialled Rajya Sabha member and philanthropist **Sudha Murty** and threatened her that her mobile number was being used to broadcast obscene videos.

Murty received a call on September 5 at 9.40 am. The caller, who claimed that the number was registered in January 2020 without linking it to her Aadhaar number, also warned that her call would be disconnected by 12 pm.

A complaint in this regard has been filed by 65-year-old B Ganapathy on behalf of Murty. The complaint was registered in the cybercrime police station on September 20. Officials suspect that the accused wanted to extract sensitive information from her.

"The caller, using a fake identity, is said to have spoken to her vulgarly. The cyber criminal attempted to extract personal information from her. The call originated from the number +91 9242142562. When the number was checked on the Truecaller App, it showed as 'Telecom Department,' the complaint noted.

Legal action against the caller for the threats and attempts to obtain sensitive data has been sought by the complainant. A case of identity theft (66(C)), punishment for cheating by personation by using computer resources (66(D)) and punishment for attempting to commit offences (84(C))of the IT Act of 2000 has been registered.

Week after digi-arrest, MP's wife gets back ₹14L

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CHIKKABALLAPURA MP Dr K Sudhakar's wife, Dr GA Preethi, who was a victim of 'digital arrest' and lost around Rs 14 lakh, has got her money back.

The Basaveshwara Nagar police, after registering her complaint, guided her to raise her complaint in 1930 (cyber crime helpline), which resulted in the freezing of her money that was sent to the fraudulent bank account. Preethi, 44, an endodontist from Basaveshwara Nagar, received a WhatsApp video call on August 26 from someone claiming to be Mumbai Cyber Crime. She was digitally held for six hours.

The accused told her that by using her KYC a person identified as Sadbath Khan has

obtained a credit card through which multiple illegal transactions have been made by sending people illegally to countries like Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos.

They also told her that Khan has been arrested. The accused threatened to arrest her, obtained personal details and made her send Rs 14 lakh, stating that the money would be sent to the RBI for verification. She was told that the amount would be credited to her account within 45 minutes. Realising that she had been conned, the victim rushed to the West CEN police station around 5 pm and filed a complaint.

"Fearing arrest, the victim deposited the money from the HDFC account to an unknown Yes Bank account," an official said. On September 3, the 47th ACJM Court directed Yes Bank to return the frozen funds. The entire amount was credited back to her account within a week.

Using your KYC a person identified as Sadbath Khan has obtained a credit card through which multiple illegal transactions have been made by sending people illegally to countries like Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos —The accused

CRIME PATROL

Two techies arrested for assaulting cops

Bengaluru: Two software engineers who allegedly assaulted police personnel who had gone to stop a noisy party after an alert from neighbours have been arrested by Parappana Agrahara police. The accused are Vishal Sameer (25) and Subhan Kumar (27), both natives of Jharkhand. Another accused, Aditya Singh, is absconding. According to police, the trio were living together in a rented house at Silicon Town in Doddanagamangala. On the night of September 20, they were holding a party. Disturbed by the noise, residents dialled 112 and complained. Following this, Assistant Sub-Inspector (ASI) Ravi and Constable Shivakumar, attached to Parappana Agrahara, rushed to the spot. Despite repeated warnings to stop the nuisance, the accused allegedly pushed and assaulted the ASI. **ENS**

Glitch bars advocates, litigants from joining HC virtual proceedings

Bengaluru: Owing to technical glitches in the updated version of Vconsol, the Karnataka High Court's third party video conferencing application released on Saturday, many advocates and litigants could not join the proceedings on Monday. Advocates, litigants and government officers were unable to login to the application in all three versions -- desktop, android and IOS mobile apps -- as registered users. The technical glitches in the desktop version of the application was addressed by afternoon. A similar issue was addressed in the mobile version by resorting to the older versions of the application by evening. The high court administration switched over to Vconsol video conferencing application from Zoom platform, which was used since the Covid-19 lockdown, from February 2025. **ENS**

Truck hits scooter, woman succumbs to injuries, case registered

Bengaluru: A 38-year-old woman died, and her colleague was injured after a truck hit their two-wheeler. The incident took place near Krishnanandanagar Junction in the Rajajinagar traffic police station limits on Monday. The deceased is Kalpana, a resident of Mahalakshmi Layout, who was employed in a private company in Peenya 2nd Stage. Her husband works as a designer in a Kannada Newspaper. Around 9.30 am, Kalpana, along with her colleague, was heading to their office after dropping her daughter at school. A truck rammed into their scooter near Krishnanandanagar, causing Kalpana to fall on the left side and her colleague on the right. The rear wheel of the truck ran over Kalpana. Both were rushed to a nearby hospital, but Kalpana succumbed to injuries. A case against the truck driver was registered. **ENS**

Man absconds after stabbing wife 11 times

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IN a gruesome incident, a 42-year-old man stabbed his second wife 11 times and murdered her in front of her daughter near the Sunkadakatte bus stand in the Kamakshipalya police station limits on Monday. A preliminary investigation revealed that Lokesh, the accused, suspected Rekha (32), deceased, of having an illicit relationship.

Around 11.30 am, Rekha was standing near the Sunkadakatte bus stand with her 12-year-old daughter when Lokesh confronted her, leading to a heated argument. Lokesh then stabbed her twice initially and then attacked her further in full public view. Bystanders rushed her to a nearby hospital, but she succumbed to injuries. The police confirmed that she had sustained 11 stab wounds.

After her divorce from her first husband, Rekha married Lokesh alias Lohitesh (42). She had two daughters, aged nine and 12, from her first marriage. Lokesh is also separated from her first wife. The couple had married five months ago and had moved to Bengaluru two months ago from Tumakuru. Rekha worked in a private company, where she had arranged a car driver job for Lokesh. They were staying in a rented house in Sunkadakatte.

They have also formed three teams to nab the accused.

₹1.5 cr, 50 gm gold looted from lecturer's home

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FOUR persons posing as government officials barged into the house of a college lecturer and looted Rs 1.5 crore in cash along with 50 grams gold ornaments worth Rs5 lakh.

The incident took place in 5th cross Vinayakanagar near Bagalur Cross in the Yelahanka police station limits.

According to the FIR filed by Giriraj Kumar, a private college lecturer, on September 19, after he left for college, his wife and parents were at home. Around 10.45 am, four men arrived in a car and barged into the house, claiming to be government officials and saying they had information about money kept in the house. On the pretext of conducting a search, they snatched his wife's mobile phone and locked Kumar's father in the bathroom, who was taking a bath at the time. They then found Rs 1.5 crore in cash and 50 grams of gold ornaments and fled the scene, the FIR stated.

The police said that based on the complaint, a robbery case has been registered. The car used by the gang did not have a number plate, and CCTV footage from the surrounding areas is being analyzed. Police suspect that someone with knowledge about the cash in the house may have committed the crime, and multiple angles are being investigated.

A senior officer said that Giriraj has been questioned about the source of the Rs 1.5 crore. He claimed that it was related to a land transaction and has been asked to produce relevant documents.

WELCOMING GST 2.0

Opposition leader Chalavadi Narayanaswamy with others celebrate the GST reforms, in Bengaluru on Monday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

2 inspectors suspended

RAKSHITH GOWDA @Bengaluru

TWO police inspectors of the Bengaluru City Police have been suspended for dereliction of duty following a departmental inquiry.

According to sources, Halasuru Gate Police Inspector Hanumanth K of the Central Division and Koramangala Police Inspector SLR Reddy of the South East Division have been suspended on charges of negligence maintaining law and order in their respective jurisdiction.

Hanumath was suspended for lapses in maintaining law and order in his jurisdiction, as well as shortcomings in investigation of cases, among other reasons. Meanwhile, Reddy faced suspension after multiple complaints from residents that pubs in his jurisdiction were operating beyond permissible hours and playing loud music.

PIC: NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Hangyo's kunda-inspired ice cream flavour this Dasara

Bengaluru: Hangyo Ice Cream has launched a new ice cream flavour inspired by Belagavi's traditional sweet — kunda — this Dasara. Introduced on Monday through a collaboration between Kamat BugleRock and Hangyo Ice Cream, the dessert is being served with the restaurant's jowar bhakri meals. "This initiative is about more than just a festive launch – it is our effort to bring the spotlight on the underrated sweets of Uttara Karnataka," said Akashrai Kamat, COO at Kamat BugleRock. "I was seeing so much of 'Mysore pak' being served during Dasara, hence we thought of kunda this time for a change," he added. The launch coincides with the first day of Navaratri, and the seasonal offering is exclusive to Kamat BugleRock outlets.

31-year-old survives knife attack in Peenya

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A gruesome murder attempt was made on a 31-year-old man while he was going to the 'pitru paksha' puja at his relative's house in Peenya police station limits on Sunday.

The victim was invited for dinner on the last day of the event. En route, the victim, who had gone to a bar, fought with three men. The accused, who attacked him with a beer bottle inside the bar, followed him again and attacked him with a knife by slitting his throat. The victim, who was profusely bleeding, called his wife and informed her about the incident. The police have arrested one of the accused, identified as Shivu alias generator and are on the lookout for the other two.

The victim is R Shashi Kumar, a resident of Gangondanahalli Main Road in Nagasandra. The incident happened at Manjunatha Wines in Shivapura between 8.15 and 9 pm. Deepika, the victim's wife, has filed a complaint in this regard.

"The victim, who is an autorickshaw driver, was first attacked on the head inside the bar. After he left the bar, the accused again attacked and slit the victim's throat. The victim is undergoing treatment," said an officer. A case of attempt to murder (BNS 109) has been registered against the accused.

Eight-year-old boy from Bengaluru on holiday drowns off Murudeshwar coast

SUBHASH CHANDRA N S
@Murudeshwara

AN eight-year-old boy from Bengaluru was washed away by strong waves on Monday morning, at Murudeshwar beach in Uttara Kannada district.

The child, identified as Kritik Reddy, a resident of Bidarahalli had come to Murudeshwar with his parents and extended family for a holiday.

They had checked into a hotel in Murudeshwar on Sunday. On Monday, after visiting the Murudeshwar temple for darshan, they went to the beach to play and take a dip in the sea.

According to police, Kritik reportedly strayed from the group and waded into deeper waters when a powerful wave dragged him into the sea.

His relative, K Vasantha, rushed to rescue him but was also swept away by the currents. Locals on the beach managed to save Vasantha, who was given first aid and shifted to the hospital, but the child could not be rescued.

Murudeshwar Police have registered a case and are investigating.

The beach, which had been closed during the monsoon due to rough seas, was recently reopened to the public, but water sports remain banned.

Warning boards advising visitors not to enter the water are still displayed at the site, according to local residents.

ICAR-NIVEDI bags nat'l award

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THE ICAR-National Institute of Veterinary Epidemiology and Disease Informatics (ICAR-NIVEDI), Bengaluru, has been conferred the prestigious National Award for e-Governance 2025 (Gold) by the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG), Government of India. The award was presented by Minister of State, DARPG, Dr Jitendra Singh, during the 28th National Conference on e-Governance held at Visakhapatnam on Monday. NADRES-V2 (National Animal Disease Referral Expert System) was chosen for the award in the category 'Innovation by use of AI and other new age technologies for providing citizen-centric services.' The platform leverages GIS, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning to forecast 15 major livestock diseases at the district level and disseminates risk alerts to farmers and veterinarians through SMS and digital advisories.

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Relief operations are being conducted with utmost urgency in the flood-affected villages of Kalaburagi district, said RDPR Minister Priyank Kharge, who is also the district incharge minister. Priyank said that directives have been issued to the district administration to implement immediate measures, as incessant rainfall has persisted since Saturday

HC TO EXAMINE PLEAS FOR STAY OF CASTE CENSUS TODAY

The method and manner in which the data is collected by geo-tagging, linking it with Aadhaar of every citizen violates the privacy norms: Senior advocate

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THE Karnataka High Court posted a batch of petitions questioning the legality of the Karnataka Social-Educational Survey (Caste Census) for a hearing on an interim plea to stay the survey for Tuesday.

A division bench of Chief Justice Vibhu Bakhru and Justice CM Joshi passed the order on Monday after hearing sometime on the issues raised by the senior counsel representing the petitioners and also senior counsel Abhishek Manu Singhvi appearing for the state government. In view of the urgency pleaded by the petitioners to stay the survey, which has begun on Monday, in view of various sensitive issues raised by them and the state opposing the stay, the court posted the matter at 2.30 pm on Tuesday to examine whether the issue requires the court's interference. Appearing for some of the petitioners, senior advocate Prabhuling K Navadagi argued that the state has no competence to take up the purported exercise as it is contrary to Article 342 of the Constitution. The method and manner in which the data is collected by geo-tagging, linking it with Aadhaar of every citizen violates the privacy norms, he argued.

Three more senior counsels appearing for the petitioners argued that what the state is calling survey is nothing less than the census and it is a colourable exercise of power.

Senior advocate Abhishek Manu Singhvi said the state can do it because it is a survey and not a census. The petitioners have approached the court at the last minute after the state has made every effort to use thousands of teachers and Asha workers for a survey following the budgetary allocation of Rs 420 crore. The whole object of this survey is to update the data of the survey completed in 2015 by the State Backward Classes Commission. If the survey is stalled, the schedule will be derailed, he argued.

Additional Solicitor General of India Arvind Kamath submitted that the collection of data is a census which can be done by the Centre and hence the state cannot do it. On the other hand, senior advocate Ravivarma Kumar said the Commission has power to conduct the survey.

Rajya Vokkaligara Sangha, Akhila Karnataka Brahmana Maha Sabha, advocate KN Subba Reddy and others have filed the petitions against the survey from September 22 to October 7, 2025. Rajya Vokkaliga Sangha contended that the caste census exclusively falls within the domain of the Centre under the Constitution. It was also stated that this survey replicates the failed 2015 survey, which was marred by irregularities, missing records, the refusal of the Member-Secretary of the Commission to sign, and suppression of results.

Kalaburagi Deputy Commissioner Fouzia Taranum supervises the caste census work in Kalaburagi on Monday | EXPRESS

Enumerators face glitches in app

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HICCUPS in downloading the app and lack of familiarity in using the app slowed down the first day of work for enumerators on Monday as they started the Caste Census. For sometime, the enumerators were confused over downloading the app and taking down details. The issue was resolved later.

Shobha, district officer, Backward Classes Department, said, "Initially, there were minor hiccups over downloading the app and logging in. It was the first day of work. Some enumerators need little time to acquaint themselves with the app and how to use it. In one or two days, this work will become easy and the survey will be speeded up," she said. "We need to collect information from each family, both personal and family. We have to ask 61 questions, and of them, 41 are related to the individual and 20 to the family. We require one hour for each person. If there are four members in the family, it may easily take two-and-a-half to three hours, depending on how fast the members provide information," said an enumerator.

Another enumerator told TNIE, "Today, I faced problems with the app. I have to cover 143 families in 16 days. If we get a holiday for the Dasara, we will be left with only 15 days. It is difficult to do the survey of 5-6 families per day. The survey needs an additional 4-5 days."

Minister Madhu Bangarappa, who arrived at the BEO office and launched the survey, said, "The confusion has been resolved. If there is a technical problem, even PM Modi's app will not open."

In Kalaburagi, an enumerator told *TNIE* that by the time she completed the survey in three houses, the app developed a snag and the team had to stop the work. Some enumerators from taluks said the app started working for them only by late afternoon. Kalaburagi DC Fouzia Taranum said she has not received any complaints about snags in the app.

In Hubballi, besides technical issues, there were problems in allocating areas and houses to teachers.

ENUMERATION YET TO BEGIN IN BENGALURU

BENGALURU: The caste census that began across the state on Monday was deferred in Bengaluru. The Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA) sought additional time to complete enumeration arrangements as it transitions from the erstwhile BBMP. The survey may commence within three days. "The socio-economic survey has started across the state and it is ongoing but it is yet to start in Bengaluru due to administrative issues. Probably the survey in Bengaluru will start within the next three days," a GBA official told TNIE. However, Backward Classes Commission Chairman Madhusudan R Naik had said that though the commission was ready to conduct the survey from September 22, at the request of the GBA, there will be a delay due to an administrative issue. The staff of GBA need training, and they have already undergone the first round of training and further training is underway.

Power sharing: CM, DCM use survey to sensitise communities?

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CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar have sensitised their respective communities -- Kurubas and Vokkaligas -- on the Socio, Economic and Educational Survey (popularly known as caste census) that the Karnataka State Commission for Backward Classes started on Monday. The move is to consolidate their positions if there is a transfer of chief minister's post.

Siddaramaiah has been quite visible attending all the events organised by Kurubas, while Shivakumar has assured Vokkaligas that their interests would be safeguarded through a "special strategy". Vokkaliga religious heads too have thrown their weight behind him. A reconciliation between Shivakumar and his archrival and union minister HD Kumaraswamy at the Vokkaliga meet convened by Adichunchanagiri Mutt seer Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji gave enough indication that the community is putting up a united front.

This could come in handy in November, when Siddaramaiah completes two-and-a-half years in office and when the power sharing issue is likely to crop up, analysts said. But the report on the present survey will only be presented by the Backward Classes Commission a month later in December. The commission's report is likely to include reclassification of OBC quota based on the caste census data.

The CM has been pushing for his community to be included in the Scheduled Tribe (ST) list. He sent a proposal to the Centre in July 2023, but it was rejected for various reasons. At his behest, the ST Welfare Department held a meeting to discuss the issue and send a fresh proposal to the Centre.

After the H Kantharaju commission's report, K Jayaprakash Hegde, as the Backward Classes Commission chief, recommended shifting Kurubas from the backward classes category (2A) to the most backward (1B). Siddaramaiah was ready to implement it, but Shivakumar allegedly managed to scuttle it and got the Kantharaju commission report 'scrapped' ensuring the fresh survey.

All these efforts may pay off, and Kurubas could stand united behind Siddaramaiah to continue as CM post, while Vokkaligas may pitch for the change of guard, seeking the top post for Shivakumar.

Kurubas are considered the fourth-largest community in the state with a population of 43.72 lakh (7.3%), as per the Kantharaju commission survey held in 2015. Vokkaligas are third largest at 61.6 lakh (10.3%). But community leaders assert that if all sub-castes are combined, they constitute 14-16% of the population.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Shivakumar are leaving for Patna on Tuesday to attend the CWC meeting, scheduled for Wednesday. It is to be seen if they will discuss caste census with the party leadership on the sidelines of the meeting.

Confusion prevails among Lingayats, Panchamasalis on caste classification

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IT is no ordinary Socio, Economic and Educational Survey. Behind the neat columns of religion and caste lies a battle of identities, power and survival.

Only days ago, Panchamasali seer Basavajaya Mrutyunjaya Swami stunned his followers by urging them to tick "Hindu" under the religion column and "Panchamasali" under caste. The Panchamasalis, who make up an estimated 30% of the Lingayat population, felt betrayed and the air thickened with intrigue. The Akhila Bharat Lingayat Panchamasali Trust swiftly moved into action, convening a late-hour emergency session at the Kudalasangama Peetha-an ancestral ground of spiritual legitimacy.

Trust president Vijay Anand Kashappanavar was categorical when he said, "Our Peetha stands on Basavanna's philosophy. Our mission is to get a clear recognition of Lingayat as an independent religion. Veerashaiva is only one of the 112 subsects. To call ourselves Hindu is to surrender our future."

But such confusion and battles are not limited to Panchamasalis alone. The Veerashaiva Mahasabha has issued its own command, "All Lingayats, including Panchamasalis, must register as Veerashaiva-Lingayat".

The survey has now spiralled into an identity struggle with the Panchamasali Trust insisting on "Lingayat," Veerashaivas demanding "Veerashaiva Lingayat," and Mrutyunjaya Swamiji siding with "Hindu".

A Lingayat expert reminded the crowd in Kudalasangama that Mrutyunjaya Swamiji during the Basava Samskruti Abhiyana in Bagalkot had promised mutt leaders that he would back Lingayat as a religion. "This U-turn has wounded our community. We don't need publicity-seeking swamijis who shield politicians. Politicians can fend for themselves. Our people need leaders who will guard the weakest," he said.

The Trust sent out a message to the community members that identifying themselves as "Hindu" yields no benefits and recognising themselves as "Lingayat" would unlock recognition and entitlements. The message was sent out that community members should write "Lingayat" under religion and "Panchamasali" under caste. Over 20 seers, leaders, and representatives lent their weight to the declaration.

In this census war, the forms may look harmless, but every tick mark is a weapon. Behind closed doors, old alliances fracture, new ones form, and the future of the Lingayat identity itself appears to be turning into some sort of a battle ground. The Basava Sanskriti Abhiyan, which has been a big draw will be held in Mysuru and they too have been saying that they need to register as Lingayats.

LINGAYAT AND VOKKALIGA LEADERS MEET KHARGE

Veerashaiva Mahasabha officer-bearers Renuka Prasanna and Sagaranahalli Nataraj and those from Vokkaligara Sangha — Auditor Yalachavadi Nagaraj and Konappa Reddy — were part of the delegation that met All-India Congress Committee (AICC) president Mallikarjun Kharge at his residence in Bengaluru. They complained to him that the survey is being conducted hurriedly, sources said. They sought his intervention, saying the survey be postponed for three months as 7 crore population of the state cannot be covered in 15 days.

Cong govt trying to divide Hindu society: BJP

SHIVAMOGGA: State Bharatiya Janata Party President B Y Vijayendra accused the Congress government of trying to divide the Hindu society, and called it "unfortunate". He termed the caste census as the "misadventure" of the State Government, despite it not having any powers to conduct such a survey. "The caste census has reached the High Court...the CM, who should be thinking about the development of the state, is involving himself in attempts to divide the Hindu society. This is an unfortunate thing for the state," he said. "People are discussing it. People and society have become aware now, but there is a need for Hindu society to become more aware. This misadventure of the state government, despite them not having any powers to do the cast census is condemnable. We will see what happens at the court," the BJP leader added.

'Humanity thrives on love': CM hits out at Banu's critics

KARTHIK KK @ Mysuru

KARNATAKA Chief Minister Siddaramaiah on Monday hit out at attempts to politicise the Mysuru Dasara celebrations, calling it a petty act, and challenged opponents to do politics in elections and not in such festivities. He was reacting to the controversy that broke out after the State Government invited International Booker Prize winner Banu Mushtaq to inaugurate the Mysuru Dasara festivities.

"Banu Mushtaq should be seen as a human being who embodies universal human values rather than identified merely as a Muslim woman. Humanity thrives on love. Hatred is against humanism, and those who celebrate hatred are the true enemies of humanity," Siddaramaiah said. The CM said those who opposed Banu Mushtaq have no understanding of Dasara or the cultural heritage. "Twisting history and indulging in selfish politics is an unpardonable crime. A majority of the people of this state have welcomed her. This is a matter of pride," he said.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and author Banu Mushtaq offer pooja at Chamundeshwari temple atop Chamundi Hills in Mysuru on Monday | EXPRESS

"Both the High Court and Supreme Court upheld constitutional values when a few opposed her presence. Those who opposed Banu Mushtaq should first read the Preamble of our Constitution," he said. On the occasion he took a veiled swipe at BJP leader and former MP Pratap Simha and said, "They don't even understand what Dasara, the people's festival, stands for. I am a better Hindu than them."

Meanwhile, the inauguration carved out its own special character. Along with the familiar slogans of "Jai Hind" and "Jai Karnataka," a new slogan reverberated across the hilltop, "Jai Samvidhan," even as the Preamble of the Constitution was read aloud before the inauguration.

(Top) Noted singer Hariharan and his troupe perform on the premises of the Mysuru Palace on Monday; Scion of Mysuru royal family Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar holds private darbar

MAY GODDESS CHAMUNDESHWARI DESTROY HATRED, INTOLERANCE WITHIN US: BANU MUSHTAQ

Goddess Chamundeshwari is the eternal symbol of truth, courage, compassion and protection, Banu Mushtaq said, and prayed that the deity's grace would guide humanity towards peace. "This festival must not remain limited to Mysuru or Karnataka or even India, it must echo across the globe. Let every flower bloom in its colour, every bird sing in its tune, and together let it create a symphony of harmony," she said.Ending her speech on a poetic note, Mushtaq read her decade-old poem "Bagina", which she had written after receiving a bagina and said, "Our culture is our roots, harmony is our strength, and economy is our wings. This soil carries symbols of harmony. Even its sunshine reflects humanity. May Goddess Chamundeshwari destroy the hatred and intolerance within us."

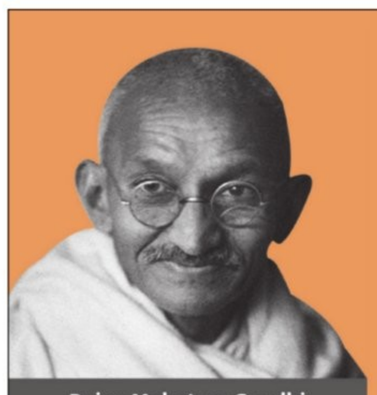
Siddaramaiah slams Modi govt over GST 2.0

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mysuru

LAUNCHING a scathing attack on Prime Minister Narendra Modi and accusing him of deceiving Indians over the Goods and Services Tax (GST), Chief Minister Siddaramaiah said that the former "imposed it, increased it and now pretends to pat our backs by bringing it down".

He was speaking after inaugurating the Dasara Food Mela in Mysuru on Monday. Siddaramaiah contrasted the Centre's policies with his government's welfare measures. "I introduced the Anna Bhagya scheme to ensure that the poor don't go to bed hungry. We gave 10 kg of rice free to the needy. That is the difference," the CM said.

Meanwhile, RDPR and IT/BT Minister Priyank Kharge slammed the BJP-led Union Government over the new GST reforms. "It is they (Centre) who pushed us into the deep well and now they are giving the ladder to climb. Is this what you call masterstroke? In the last eight years, they made salaried people and the poor to suffer. Many MSMEs shut shop. The people who are celebrating GST Utsav, for them imposing GST was a masterstroke before. They said this will change the nation. What happened now?" the minister said.



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CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED
Corporate Office: "CHOLA CREST", C 54 & 55, Super B-4, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032. Branch Address: Municipal No.45, (Old Nos. 45& 45-1), Second Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore-560027

[RULE 8(1)] POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **M/s Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited,** having its registered office at "CHOLA CREST". C 54 & 55, Super B-4, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032 and Municipal No.45, (Old Nos. 45& 45/1), Second Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore-560027. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13[12] read with Rules 9 of the Security Interest [Enforcement] Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice Dated 06-12-2024 (Loan Account No. HE01GAL00000066600)** calling upon the Borrowers: **1) Jugraj Kailash Kumar, 2) Jugraj G, 3) Vimaladevi, Above All Are Residing:** No.255, Flat No.302, Paras Mansion Akkipet Chickpet Main Road, Near Jain Temple Akkipet, Bangalore, Karnataka-560053, **4) Living Style,** No.8, 1st Floor, Arcot, Srinivasachar Street, Chickpet, Bangalore, Karnataka-560053, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.15572958.00 (Rupees One Crore Fifty Five Lakh Seventy Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Eight Only) as on 06-12-2024** with interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers having failed to repay the Amount, Notice Is Hereby Given to the Borrowers in particular and the Public in general that the undersigned as per the Order Dated 29-08-2025 Passed by the Honurable 5th ACJM, At Bangalore in Crl.Misc.2839/2025 has **Taken Possession** of the Property Described herein below in Exercise of the Powers Conferred on Him Under Section 13[4], 13[12] of the said Act read with Rule 8 and 9 of the said Rules Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 **On this 20-09-2025.**

Under section 13 [8] of the Securitisation Act, the borrowers can redeem the secured asset by payment of the entire outstanding including all costs, charges and expenses before notification of sale.

The borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge of **M/s Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited,** for an amount of being **Rs.15572958.00 (Rupees One Crore Fifty Five Lakh Seventy Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Eight Only) as on 06-12-2024** and interest and charges thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY:

All that piece and parcel of the Immovable property bearing Apartment No.302, assigned municipal No.254/7 in the third floor consisting of 3 bedrooms , hall, kitchen, and toilets approximately measuring 1518.16 Square feet of super built up area along with 389.70 Square feet of undivided share in multi-storied residential building known as "PARAS MANSIONS" constructed on bearing No.254, 255,256,257, Situated at Akkamahadevi Road, Akkipet, Bangalore-560053, in the Corporation Ward No.29, and bounded on the: **East by:** Akkamahadevi Road, **West by:** Private property, **North by:** Private Property, **South by:** Private Property.

Date: 23-09-2025 **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited**
Place: Bangalore Sd/- Authorised Officer

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KSEB KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED - NOTIFICATION

APPLICATIONS INVITED FOR BUSINESS DATA ANALYST (ON CONTRACT)

Notification No. KSEBL/CE/IT/CU/92/Data-Analyst/09/2025-26 Dated 16.09.2025

Kerala State Electricity Board Ltd. invites applications for the post of Business Data Analyst (Enterprise Level) on contract basis (initially for one year, extendable)

NO. OF POST: 1, LAST DATE: 13.10.2025.

Details and apply online through www.kseb.in

ANDHRA PRADESH CAPITAL REGION DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
Lenin Centre, Governorpet, Vijayawada - 520 002 (A.P.)

E PROCUREMENT SHORT TENDER NOTICE

1. NIT No. 90/proc /MAU61-USI0HB(BG)/16/2025-HB, Dt.22-09-2025

NAME OF WORK : "RFP for selection of Comprehensive Service Provider for Technical Facility Management services, House Keeping services, Security services and IT Operations & Maintenance services for APCRDA project office building at **Rayapudi, Amaravati Capital City"**

The bid can be downloaded on AP e-procurement portal from **23.09.2025** to **01.10.2025** up to **14.00 Hrs.** Pre-Bid Meeting Date. **25.09.2025.** Due date for submission of Bid **01.10.2025 up to 15.00 Hrs,** Technical bid opening **01.10.2025 @ 16.00 Hrs.** For further details please refer to **www.apeprocurement.gov.in** and **www.crda.ap.gov.in**

Sd/- Commissioner, APCRDA, Vijayawada

CHENNAI METROPOLITAN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, CIRCLE-I, CONSTRUCTION WING, FIRST FLOOR, 'A' BLOCK, 'E' ROAD, KOYAMBEDU, CHENNAI - 600 107

E- TENDER NOTICE **Dated: 22.09.2025**

E-tenders are invited from the Government registered and experienced contractors by the Superintending Engineer, Circle-I, Construction Wing, First Floor, 'A' Block, CMDA, 'E'-Road, Koyambedu, Chennai -107, under Two cover system for the work of "Construction of Government School at GKM Colony, Kolathur, Chennai".

E-tender Notice No	13 / 2025-26 dated.22.09.2025
Last date & Time of receipt of tender through online	27.10.2025 at 3.00 P.M
Downloading the tender document by Free of Cost.	From 26.09.2025 to 27.10.2025 upto 3.00 pm
For further details visit webssite	**http://tntenders.gov.in**

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IN THE COURT OF THE XLI ADDL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU. CCH 42
P & SC. NO. 393/2025

Between:

1. Miss Kushi S D/o Late Shivalingaiah C and Late Gayathri Devi M.B, Aged about 22 years, R/at No. 304, RONAK APARTMENT 2nd Main Road C.K.G GARDEN, WILSON GARDEN BANGALORE - 560027

2. Mr. Shashank S S/o Late Shivalingaiah C and Late Gayathri Devi M.B, Aged about 21 years R/at No. 304, RONAK APARTMENT, 2nd Main Road C.K.G GARDEN, WILSON GARDEN BANGALORE -560027

AND: ...Petitioners
Nil ...Respondent

NOTICE

Whereas, the above petitioners has filed petition under section 372 of Indian Succession Act 1925 for grant of Succession Certificate on account of death of their parents **Late Mr. Shivalingaiah C** (father) died on 05/12/2019 and **Smt. Gayathri Devi M B** died on 24/09/2017. The case has been posted for hearing on 08/10/2025 at 11:00 AM.

Interested parties are hereby called upon to appear before this Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed on 08/10/2025 at 11:00 AM inform to show cause against the petitioners failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared as Ex-Parte.

SCHEDULE

All the accumulated benefits while in the service being Provident fund, Graduity, Dearness Allowances, Leave Travel Allowances, House Rent Allowances, Pensions and any other benefits that were accumulated while in service by **Late Shivalingaiah C** and also any other arrears of amount due receivable by Late **Shivalingaiah C** till his demise.

Given under my hand and sign up the court on this **20/09/2025** at Bengaluru.

Sd/-
Advocate for Petitioners
Rudresh. V.C, Bengaluru

By order of the court
Sheristedar City Civil Court and Session Court at Bengaluru.

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DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

Whereas you the below mentioned Borrower's, Co-Borrower's, Guarantor's and Mortgagors have availed loans from **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited,** by mortgaging your immovable properties. Consequent to default committed by you all, your loan account has been classified as **Non-performing Asset,** whereas **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** being a secured creditor under the Act, and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) of the said Act read with rule 2 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued **Demand notice** calling upon the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors as mentioned in column No.2 to repay the amount mentioned in the notices with future interest thereon within **60 days** from the date of notice, but the notices could not be served on some of them for various reasons.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	Loan Account No. & Loan Amount	Details of the Security to be enforced	Date of NPA & Demand Notice date	Amount Due in Rs. / as on
1	1) Mr. Anjinappa G, 2) Mr. Hanumantharaju, 3) Mrs. Manjamma	Loan Account No. 45389630000208 Loan Amount: Rs.4,00,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece of the immovable property bearing Site No.61(2), Khaneshumari No.61(2), 62(3) and 62(4), Khatha No.82, measuring East-West 40 feet and North-South 12 feet, situated at Manganahalli Village, Kodihalli Gram Panchayath, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and **Bounded on the: East by:** Road, **West by:** House belongs to Ningappa, **North by:** Property belongs to Gangaraju, **South by:** Property belongs to Ramaiah.	Date of NPA: 01-09-2025 Demand Notice Date: 19.09.2025	**Rs.3,44,911.88** (Rupees Three Lakh Forty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eleven and Eighty Eight Paisa Only) **due as on 15-09-2025**
2	1) Mr. Deepak B M, 2) Mrs. Keerthi Kala R, 3) Mrs. Pillamma	Loan Account No. 47469630000467 47469410001039 Loan Amount: Rs.5,00,000/- Rs.5,00,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No. 265/123/2, Katha ID No.150200400100100272, situated at Bidarahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore-560049 and **Bounded on: East by:** Property belongs to Rathnamma, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property belongs to Kempamma. Measuring East to West: 4.572 Mtr and North to South: 6.096 Mtr, in all measuring 27.87 Sq.mtrs	Date of NPA: 01-09-2025 Demand Notice Date: 19.09.2025	**Rs.8,40,583.71** (Rupees Eight Lakh Forty Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Three and Seventy One Paisa Only) **due as on 15-09-2025**
3	1) Mr. Govindaraju, 2) Mrs. Jayamma	Loan Account No. 47040430001070 Loan Amount: Rs.5,00,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece of the Property Khaneshumari No. 38/49/2, Measuring East-West 5.1815 meters and North-South 10.363 meters, situated at Maralipura Village, Banni Mukkodlu Grama Panchayath, Kodihalli Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District and **Bounded on: East by:** Sampu, **West by:** House Belongs to Biligiri Muttaiah, **North by:** Government Road, **South by:** Property Belongs to Madegowda.	Date of NPA: 01-09-2025 Demand Notice Date: 19.09.2025	**Rs.4,72,827.32** (Rupees Four Lakh Seventy Two Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty Seven and Thirty Two Paisa Only) **due as on 15-09-2025**
4	1) Mr. Krishna M V, 2) Mrs. Nagamma	Loan Account No. 47049630000300 47049410000201 Loan Amount: Rs.5,00,000/- Rs.3,81,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All the piece and parcel of the for Property No. 152900202700420094/90/1, measuring East to West: 12.192 meter and North to South: 12.192 meter situated at Mullahalli Village, Grama Panchayath, Kanakapura Block, Ramanagara District and **Bounded on: East by:** House belongs to Sakamma, **West by:** Road, **North by:** House belongs to Gundaiah, **South by:** Road.	Date of NPA: 01-09-2025 Demand Notice Date: 19.09.2025	**Rs.7,37,220.86** (Rupees Seven Lakh Thirty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Twenty and Eighty Six Paisa Only) **due as on 17-09-2025**
5	1) Mrs. Sudha, 2) Mr. Darsan Y S	Loan Account No. 47040430000041 31838027931208 Loan Amount: Rs.5,00,000/- Rs.30,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece and parcel of the Property No. 152900203100220114 Khaneshwari No.7/7, measuring East to West 12.19 meters and North to South 9.14 meters, situated at Yadamaranahalli Village, Achhalu Grama Panchayath, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District and **Bounded on: East by:** Site No.08, **West by:** House belongs to Shobamma, **North by:** Property belongs to Siddegowda, **South by:** Road.	Date of NPA: 11-06-2025 Demand Notice Date: 19.09.2025	**Rs.4,28,555.20** (Rupees Four Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Five and Twenty Paisa Only) **due as on 15.09.2025**

Notice is therefore given to the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor & Mortgagor as mentioned in Column No.2, calling upon them to make payment of the aggregate amount as shown in column No.6, against all the respective Borrower/ Co-Borrower within **60 days** of Publication of this notice as the said amount is found payable in relation to the respective loan account as on the date shown in Column No. 6. It is made clear that if the aggregate amount together with future interest and other amounts which may become payable till the date of payment, is not paid, **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** shall be constrained to take appropriate action for enforcement of security interest upon properties as described in Column No.4. Please note that this publication is made without prejudice to such rights and remedies as are available to **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** against the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors of the said financials under the law, you are further requested to note that as per section 13(13) of the said act, you are restrained/ prohibited from disposing of or dealing with the above security or transferring by way of sale, lease or otherwise of the secured asset without prior consent of Secured Creditor.

Date: 23.09.2025, Place: Bangalore & Bangalore Rural Sd/- Authorised Officer, For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited

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Public Notice For E-Auction Cum Sale (Appendix - IV A) (Rule 8(6))

Sale of Immovable property mortgaged to IIFL Home Finance Limited (IIFL HFL) Corporate Office at Plot No.98, Udyog Vihar, Phase-IV, Gurgaon-122015. (Haryana) and **Branch Office at:- Soma Merit, No.9,Ground Floor, Venkataswamy Naidu Street,Taskar Town,Shivajinagar, Bangalore-560001** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter "Act"). Whereas the Authorized Officer ("AO") of IIFL-HFL had taken the possession of the following property/ies pursuant to the notice issued U/S 13(2) of the Act in the following loan accounts/prospect nos. with a right to sell the same on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS, AS IS WHAT IS BASIS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS" for realization of IIFL-HFL's dues, The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the website: www.iiflonehome.com

Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Description of the Immovable property/ Secured Asset	Date of Physical Possession	Reserve Price
Mr. Amit Kumar Mrs. Lilawati Devi (Prospect No-820852, IL10002522)	28/05/2021 Rs. 2076478/- (Rupees Twenty Lakh Seventy Six Thousand Four Hundred and Seventy Eight Only) Bid Increase Amount Rs.40000.00/- (Rupees Forty Thousand Only)	All that part and parcel of the property bearing: Property bearing Flat No C813, 8Th Floor Emprasa Startup City Tower C East Wing, Hoskote Taluk Sulibele Hobli, Bangalore Rural Distr, Bangalore, Karnataka , 562114 (Land Area admeasuring 269 Sq. Ft. and Built Up Area admeasuring 692 Sq. Ft.)	11/06/2025 Total Outstanding as On Date 08/09/2025 Rs. 2579515.20/ - (Rupees Twenty Five Lakh Seventy Nine Thousand Five Hundred Fifteen and Twenty Paise Only)	Rs.2741000/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Forty One Thousand Only) Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs.274100./- (Rupees Two Lakh Seventy Four Thousand One Hundred Only)

Date of Inspection of property	EMD Last Date	Date/ Time of E-Auction
06-Oct-2025 1100 hrs -1400 hrs	08-Oct-2025 till 5 pm.	10-Oct-2025 1100 hrs.-1300 hrs.

Mode of Payment :- EMD payments are to be made vide online mode only. To make payments you have tovisit **https://www.iiflonehome.com** and pay through link available for the property/ Secured Asset only.
Note: Payment link for each property/ Secured Asset is different. Ensure you are using link of the property/ Secured Asset you intend to buy vide public auction.**For Balance Payment - Login https://www.iiflonehome.com >My Bid >Pay Balance Amount.**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:-

1. For participating in e-auction, Intending bidders required to register their details with the Service Provider **https://www. iiflonehome.com** well in advance and has to create the login account, login ID and password. Intending bidders have to submit / send their "Tender FORM" along with the payment details towards EMD, copy of the KYC and PAN card at the above mentioned Branch Office.
2. The bidders shall improve their offer in multiple of amount mentioned under the column "Bid Increase Amount". In case bid is placed in the last 5 min utes of the closing time of the auction, the closing time will automatically get extended for 5 minutes.
3. The successful bidder should deposit 25% of the bid amount (after adjusting EMD) within 24 hours of the acceptance of bid price by the AO and the balance 75% of the bid amount within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. All deposit and payment shall be in the pre scribed mode of payment.
4. The purchaser has to bear the cess, applicable stamp duty, fees, and any other statutory dues or other dues like municipal tax, electricity charges, land and all other incidental costs, charges including all taxes and rates outgoings relating to the property.
5. The purchaser has to pay TDS application to the transaction/payment of sale amount and submit the TDS certificate with IIFL HFL.
6. **Bidders are advised to go through the website https: //www.iiflonehome.com and https://www.iifl.com/home-loans/properties-for-auction for detailed terms and conditions of auction sale & auction application form before submitting their Bids for taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.**
7. **For details, help procedure and online training on e-auction prospective bidders may contact the service provider E mail ID:-care@iiflonehome.com, Support Helpline Numbers:@1800 2672 499.**
8. **For any query related to Property details, Inspection of Property and Online bid etc. call IIFL HFL toll free no. 1800 2672 499 from 09:30 hrs to 18:00 hrs between Monday to Friday or write to email:- care@iiflonehome.com**
9. Notice is hereby given to above said borrowers to collect the household articles, which were lying in the secured asset at the time of taking physical possession within 7 days, otherwise IIFL-HFL shall not be responsible for any loss of property under the circumstances.
10. Further the notice is hereby given to the Borrower/s, that in case they fail to collect the above said articles same shall be sold in accordance with Law.
11. In case of default in payment at any stage by the successful bidder / auction purchaser within the above stipulated time, the sale will be cancelled and the amount already paid will be forfeited (including EMD) and the property will be again put to sale.
12. AO reserves the rights to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and condition of tender/auction without assigning any reason thereof. In case of any dispute in tender/Auction, the decision of AO of IIFL-HFL will be final.

15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER THE RULE 9 SUB RULE (1) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002

The Borrower are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with upto dated interest and ancillary expenses before the date of Tender/Auction, failing which the property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.

Place:-Bangalore Rural, Date: 23-Sep-2025 Sd/- Authorised Officer, IIFL Home Finance Limited.

Form No.3
(See Regulations-15 (1) (a))
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL HYDERABAD (DRT-2)
1st Floor, Triveni Complex, Abids, Hyderabad-500 001

O.A.No.445 OF 2025

Summons under sub-section (4) of Section 19 of the Act, Read With Sub -Rules (2A) of Rule 5 of the Debt Recovery Tribunal Procedure Rules, 1993

CANARA BANK
VS
SRI SAI SILK SAREES

2. MUTHANA SIVARANI, W/o.Sir Yamala Ramanjulu C/o. YRC Silks, Opp: Anjaneyaswaý Temple, 131, Ground Floor, 7 Cross Ashwath Nagar, Maratahalli, BANGALORE.

SUMMONS/SUBSTITUTED SERVICE BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

WHEREAS, O.A.No.445 of 2025 is listed before Registrar, DRT-II on 17-09-2025.

WHEREAS this Hon'ble Tribunal-2 is pleased to publish the summons/notice on the said Application under Section 19 (4) of the Act, (OA) filed against you for recovery of debts of Rs.34,61,855/-.

In accordance with sub-section (4) of section 19 of Recovery of Debts Due to the Banks and Financial Institutions the Act, 1993, you, the defendants are directed as under :-

i. To show cause within thirty days of the service of summons as to why relief prayed for should not be granted,

ii. To disclose particulars of properties or assets other then properties and assets specified by the applicant under serial number 3A of the original application,

iii. You are restrained from dealing with or disposing of secured assets or such other assets and properties disclosed under serial number 3A of the original application, pending hearing and disposal of the application for attachment of properties,

iv. You shall not transferred by way of sale, lease or otherwise, except in the ordinary course of his business any of the assets over which security interest is created and/or other assets and properties specified or disclose under serial number 3A of the original application without the prior approval of the Tribunal,

v. You shall not be liable to account for the sale proceeds realized by sale of secured assets or other assets and properties in the ordinary course of business and deposit such sale proceeds in the account maintained with the bank or financial institutions holding security interest

vi. over such assets.

You are also directed to file the written statement with a copy thereof furnished to the applicant and to appear before **Registrar on 28-10-2025 at 10:30 A.M.** failing which the application shall be heard and decided in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on this the 17th day of SEPTEMBER, 2025.

REGISTRAR
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-2, HYDERABAD

QuoteExpress **WITHOUT HARD WORK, NOTHING GROWS BUT WEEDS** › GORDON B HINCKLEY

S. E. RAILWAY – TENDER

Dy. CSTE/Project/KGP, South Eastern Railway, Kharagpur acting for & on behalf of The President of India/ invites e-Tenders for the following work : **Tender Notice No. ST-PROJ-KGP-BUILDING-6EI Dated : 17.09.2025; Brief description of name of the work with its location** : Construction of EI Building & Goomties for replacement of old Electronic Interlocking with new Electronic Interlocking at Shyamchak, Balichak, Haur, Bhogpur, Fuleshwar and Mourigram Flyover Block Hut. It also consists of construction of concrete cable duct at some area of these stations along with Nalpur, Uluberia, Bagnan & Bhogpur in Kharagpur Division; **Approximate cost of works : ₹ 15,94,55,178.16; Earnest money : ₹ 9,47,300.00; Date & time for closing of e-tender :** 20.10.2025 at 15:00 hrs.; **Website on which tender has been published : www.ireps.gov.in** (PR-649)

BEFORE THE HON'BLE IIIrd ADDITIONAL MUNSIFF COURT AT ERNAKULAM

O.S.No. 58 of 2023

National Agricultural Co-operative Marketing Federation (NAFED) - Plaintiff

Vs.

Nimco Foods & Farms Pvt.Ltd., Having registered office at 214, 4th Stage, 4th Block, 4A Main, West Chord Road, Basaveshwarnagar, Bangalore - 560079, Represented by its Managing Director. Defendant

Take notice that the above case stands posted to 03.10.2025 for the appearance of the Defendant whose name and address are given below. In case of its non-appearance, the case will be decided in his absence.

Dated this the 19th day of September 2024.

Sd/-, Joseph George
Counsel for the Petitioner

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client **Sri Harish D S** who is the owner of below mentioned property Sale Deed Number 6004/2015-16 in respect of Site No.172 and Sale Deed No. 8822/2015-16 in respect of Site No. 97 and the aforesaid Original Documents has been lost/misplaced Further he lodged a police complaint in this regarding On 11/9/2025, if anyone found the aforesaid original document, kindly contact at the office address given below.

Pradeep Advocate
No. 209 Raja Snow Building S C Road Sheshadripuram
Bengaluru 560020

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public is hereby notified that my client intends to purchase the schedule immovable property from **Mrs.S.VEENA RAMESH,** aged about 43 years, Wife of Mr.K.S.Rameshkumar, Residing at Flat No.C204, Green Square Apartment, Ananthapura, Yelahanka, Bengaluru 560064.

Any person having any right, title and interest whatsoever in the schedule property may submit his/her/their objections with supporting documents with the undersigned **within 10 days** from the date of this publication failing which my client would proceed and finalize the transaction with the above said person.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of a residential **Site bearing No.4, New Property EPID No.3425503140,** Property No.1998/3 & 4/716/354/27/3/4, measuring East to West 12.19 meter or 40 Feet and North to South 18.29 meter or 60 Feet, totally measuring 222.97 Square meter or 2400 Square Feet, formed out of Property No.27/3, situated at Dasarahalli Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru, and bounded on: **East by :** Site No.3, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Private Property, **South by:** Road.

Milan.K.A, Advocate
No.10, Brundavana, 3rd Floor, Yashoda Nagara, Opposite Jakkur, Aero Drome, Bellary Road, Bengaluru 560 064, Mob: 9900699788.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-2 KARNATAKA

4th Floor, BSNL Building, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore-560001

O.A.No.1985/2024

Between:
Bank of Maharashtra ...Applicant

And :

1. Mrs Florance Aron W/o Mr. S Harry Aron, Aged Major No. 195, 1st Block, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, HBR Layout 1st Stage, Subhash Layout, Bengaluru-560043

2. Mr .S Harry Aron S/o Stephen Shanmugam, Aged Major No. 195, 1st Block, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, HBR Layout 1st Stage, Subhash Layout, Bengaluru-560043 ...Defendants

SUMMONS UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBT RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 TO DEFENDANTS THROUGH PAPER PUBLICATION

To,

1. Mrs Florance Aron W/o Mr. S Harry Aron, Aged major, No. 195, 1st Block, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, HBR Layout 1st Stage, Subhash Layout, Bengaluru-560043

2. Mr S Harry Aron S/o Stephen Shanmugam, Aged Major, No. 195, 1ST Block, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, HBR Layout 1st Stage, Subhash Layout, Bengaluru-560043.

Whereas the Applicant bank has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Bank and Bankruptcy Act 1993 against you for the sum of recovery of **Rs.59,54,888.00 (Rs. Fifty Nine Lakh Fifty Four Thousand And Eight Hundred And Eighty Eight Only)** with current and future interest, cost and other reliefs. You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of the summons on or before **24.10.2025 at 10.30 AM** in the forenoon in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice, that in default of appearance, on the day mentioned hereinabove, the proceedings will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal on this Hon'ble Tribunal on this **22.09.2025.**

Signature of the Officer
(Authorized to issue summons)
DEBT RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -2
BANGALORE

Canara Bank, ARM Branch I

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)

2nd Floor, No. 86, Spencers Tower, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001.

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provisio to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **14.10.2025 (10.30 AM to 11.30 AM),** for recovery of **Rs. 1,53,46,992.87/-** as on 21.09.2025 with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank** from **1. Mr. Raja Pamidimukkala S/o Hanumantha Rao P,** No. 43, Harrow Street Cambooya, Queenland, Australia - 4358. Also at House of Mr.Paruchuri Sivanageswara Rao, No.1-55, Agraharam Road, Madhu Gardens, Brahmeswaram, Duttalur, Erukoolu, Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh - 524228. **2. Mr. Paruchuri Sivanageswara Rao (Guarantor)** S/o. P. Sesha Rao, No.1-55, Agraharam Road, Madhu Gardens, Brahmeswaram, Duttalur, Erukoolu, Nellore District, Andhra Pradesh - 524228,. **3. M/s. Aadway Construction (Builder),** (Represented by Managing partner - Sri Jai Prakash P S/o. Purusothamma Reddy, No. 101, Next to Biriyani Zone, 124/3, Doddakanelli Junction, Sarjapur Main Road, Bangalore - 560035.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of E-Wallet of **M/s. PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **13.10.2025, 5.00 pm.** **(Rs. in Lacs)**

Lot	Description of the immovable/ movable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Incremental value Rs.
1	All piece and parcel of the immovable residential villa under construction bearing Plot No 51 and forming part of residentially converted property measuring 2 acres, 30 guntas in the survey number Sy 7/1 in the layout known as 'MANAR PURE EARTH' situated at Sarjapura Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District - 562125 in the name of Mr. Raja Pamidimukkala extend of site measuring 1161.90 sq.ft having a super built up area of 1900 Sq ft. **Boundaries as follows : East by :** Site No. 64, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No. 52, **South by :** Site No. 50. **Coordinates of the property** **Latitude- 12.864787** **Longitude- 77.788726**	53.85	5.38	0.50

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in **Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com)** or E-Wallet of M/s. PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/) portal and may contact **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No. 8508442767 and 903960934** during office hours on any working day.

Date: 22.09.2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Offier
Canara Bank

Canara Bank, ARM Branch I

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
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2nd Floor, No. 86, Spencers Tower, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001.

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Lot	Description of the immovable/ movable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Incremental value Rs.
1	All piece and parcel of the immovable residential villa under construction bearing Plot No 52 and forming part of residentially converted property measuring 2 acres, 30 guntas in the survey number Sy 7/1 in the layout known as 'MANAR PURE EARTH' situated at Sarjapura village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District - 562125 in the name of Mr. Indu Sekhar Raju Digala, extend of site measuring 1161.90 sq.ft having a super built up area of 1900 Sq ft. Boundaries as follows : **East by :** Site No. 63, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No. 53, **South by :** Site No. 51. **Coordinates of the property** **Latitude- 12.864787** **Longitude- 77.788726**	53.85	5.38	0.50

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

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Date: 22.09.2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Offier
Canara Bank

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Lot	Description of the immovable/ movable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Incremental value Rs.
1	All piece and parcel of the immovable residential villa under construction bearing Plot No 54 and forming part of residentially converted property measuring 2 acres, 30 guntas in the survey number Sy 7/1 in the layout known as 'MANAR PURE EARTH' situated at Sarjapura village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District - 562125 in the name of Smt. Manu Smrithi Rao, extend of site measuring 1161.90 sq.ft having a super built up area of 1900 Sq ft. **Boundaries as follows : East by :** Site No. 61, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No. 55, **South by :** Site No. 53. **Coordinates of the property** **Latitude- 12.864865** **Longitude- 77.788740**	53.85	5.38	0.50

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in **Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com)** or E-Wallet of M/s. PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/) portal and may contact **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No. 8508442767 and 903960934** during office hours on any working day.

Date: 22.09.2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Offier
Canara Bank

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general publics are hereby informed that I Mr. Akbar Shariff, S/O Late Ajaz Shariff, Aged about 44 years. R/ At No.10, 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, J.B. Kavalu, M.S.Palya, Yelahanka Main Road, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore – 560097, Adhar No. 3705 1209 5977. I am interesting to purchase the residential property bearing vacant site No. 18, Assessment No. 21/3, Old Khata No. 21/8/18, New Khata No. 361/21/8/18 comes under BBMP situated at PrakruthiBadavani, Kenchanahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore District. Measuring Northern portion of site No. 18: Eastern Side : 21.0 ft. Western Side: 21.0 ft. Northern side : 45.0 ft. Southern side: 45.0 ft. Totally measuring 945 sq. ft. Measuring Southern portion of site No.18: Eastern side: 49.0 ft. Western Side: 0.0 ft. Northern Side: 45.0ft. Southern Side: 66.0 ft. Totally measuring 1102.5sq.ft.Totally measuring both Northern portion and southern portion of site No. 18, 2047.5 Sq. ft. and bonded on east by: Road **West by** : Site No. 19 and private property, North by: Site No. 17, South by: compound.

MR.K fakhruddin Sab Age About 50 years S/o MR khader Sab, R/At No 108, kenchanhalli village, Singanayakanahalli post, yelahanka Bangalore 560064. Aadhar no 6218 4754 6466. And Mrs SALMA Taj, Aged About 37 years, W/o Mr Zafrulla, R/at No129,kenchanhalli village, Singanayakana halli post, yelahanka Bangalore 560064. Aadhar no 7226 3554 1008. Being the absolute owners of the above cited property had acquired same through a registered sale deed Dt: 08/10/2021 vide document no 3968/ 2021-22 is registered at office of the sub registrar , yelahanka for a valuable sale consideration from Shree Naveen, S/o GovindaRao, Aged about 52 years, Residing at 1153, BBMP Road, Yelahanka, Bangalore – 560064,Adhar No. 5359 1935 0848, Shree Naveen had acquired same through a registered sale deed dt: 14/10/2015 vide document no 3712/2015-16 CD no YAND 608 which is registered in the office of sub registrar yelahankafor a valuable sale consideration from Sri K. NageshwarRao S/o Sri K. Shankaraiah Aged About 52 years R/at No 971/11, 15th A Cross Sector A yelahanka new town, Bangalore 560064. Sri K Nageshwar Rao Had acquired same through a registered sale deed Date: 25-05-2013 vide registerd no BNG(U)YLNK 1934 2013-14, for a valuable sale consideration fromMrs INDU THammiah .K along With A General Power of Attorney Date 06/06/2014. Mrs INDUTHammiah .K has Aquired the same through a Gift Deed Dt: 23/12/2009. Afetr purchase the above property the said Mr K. Fakhruddin and Mrs Salma Taj has been continued in possession, enjoyment of the same and he got transferred the khata and other related records from the BBMP authorities vide serial no 120 property no 21/3/18 and also paying the taxes to the concern authorities which is nothing but the self acquired property of Mr K Fakruddin sab And Mrs Salma Taj.

The general public are hereby informed that any persons having any manner of claim, interest or objection for the purchase of the above property referred above they may submit their objection if any along with supporting documents to the undersigned within Five days from the date of this public notice, failing which it will be presumed that there are no objection and it will be proceeding further to complete the sale transaction with Mr K Fakhruddin and Mrs Salma Taj, Please note that any claims /objections/ right over the above said property after five days from the date of this publication will not be taken to the consideration for any reasons.

AKBAR SHARIFF.
No 10 2nd floor 2nd cross JB kavalu
MS palya yelahanka main road
vidyaranyapura Bangalore 560097.
Mob:-9845188045. Mail: Akbar.aks@gmail.com.

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL JUDGE [COMMERCIAL COURT] AT BENGALURU CCH 88

COM-OS No : 52 OF 2025

Canara Bank Through its South End Road Branch 96, South End Road, Bangalore 560004
Represented by its Chief Manager
Palanivel Rajan S Mobile No 9030960392
E-mail ID : cb1173@canarabank.com. ...**Plaintiff**

Vs M/s CBEE Enterprises Represented by its proprietor Chandra Mohan S/o Ramu 131/84, II main Dattathreya Nagar, Hosakere Halli, BSK III Stage Bengaluru-560085

M/s CBEE Enterprises Represented by its proprietor Chandra Mohan S/o Ramu No. 481, Gurukrupa Nilaya Bhavani Nagara, BSK 2nd Stage, Kadirenahalli, Bengaluru - 560070 ...**Defendants**

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 OF CPC

M/s CBEE Enterprises Represented by its proprietor Chandra Mohan S/o Ramu 131/84, II main Dattathreya Nagar, Hosakere Halli, BSK III Stage Bengaluru-560085

M/s CBEE Enterprises Represented by its proprietor Chandra Mohan S/o Ramu No. 481, Gurukrupa Nilaya Bhavani Nagara, BSK 2nd Stage Kadirenahalli, Bengaluru-560070

Whereas the plaintiff has filed the above suit against the defendant for recovery of Bank loan for an amount of Rs.11,90,615/- towards loan account 1173261001036 along with interest at the rate of 9.15% PA, Rs.1,53,182/- towards regarding GECL 1173716000005 along with interest at the rate of 9.10% PA, Rs. 1,66,402/- regarding GECL A/c 170004465872 along with interest at the rate of 9.25% PA upto the date of payment.

You are hereby summoned to appear before the Court person or through advocate on **24-09-2025 at 11 AM** to answer the queries falling which the matter will be heard and decided in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on the day of 23rd day of August 2025.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Senior Sheristedar
Commercial Court Unit
City Civil Court, Bengaluru

Advocate for Plaintiff : RAJVIN LAW,
B RAJASHREE, RAJESH S, NAVEEN BM
No. 101/45, Venkatadri 1st Floor, 4th Cross, Hanumanthanagar, Bengaluru-560 019
Mobile 9632462798

IN THE COURT OF PRINCIPAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, BENGALURU

P & SC No. 512/2025 (CCH-45)

Between : Sri. ANIROODH RAMESH S/o Late R. Ramesh, Aged about 31 years, Residing at No.22/106, Ground Floor, 11th B Cross, 11th Main, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560 003. **...PETITIONER**

AND : NIL ...RESPONDENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been made to this Court under Section 276 of Indian Succession Act for issue of Probate in favour of the Petitioner in respect of the schedule property herein. The petitioner is nephew of Testator H.R. Nagaraj Rao, who died on 21.09.2024.

Any person/s who have objection for the same are hereby called to appear in this Court in person or by pleader duly instructed **on 27.10.2025 at 11.00 a.m. forenoon** to showcase against the Petitioner, failing which the non appearance will be heard and declared as no objections.

SCHEDULE

Site No.22 (Twenty Two) in the layout formed in Municipal No. 695 (Old) and 106 (New) between 11th Cross and 11th Main Road, Malleshwaram 4th Division, Bengaluru City, bounded on the East by: Site No.23, On the West by: 11th Main Road, On the North by: Road; on the South by: Sub site 22(a) and measuring East to West (45 feet) Forth-five feet, on the Northern site, on the South by: Site No.22(a) measuring 36 feet, on the Eastern side: 25 Feet, North to South, on the Eastern side 26 feet North to South and measuring 1012 feet.

Given under my hand and seal of this court on 19.09.2025.

By Order of the Court, Senior Sheristedar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru.

Advocate for the Petitioner :
M. Madhvachar, Advocate
3rd Floor, Gurusiddappa Building,
4th Main, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru-560 009.
Mobile No. 9448768633
Email ID: madhvacharm5347@gmail.com

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ROBERT H SCHULLER

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
UDUPI URBAN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Udupi Malpe Main Road, UDUPI Pin: 576103
Telephone: 9448233366

Ref No: UUDA/T/AE/2025-26 **Date: 18.09.2025**

E-Auction Document

(E-Auction Notification, Eligibility criteria and Terms and Conditions)

E-AUCTION FOR INVESTMENT OF SURPLUS FUNDS THROUGH E-PORTAL OF GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

SCHEDULE OF VARIOUS EVENTS FOR e-AUCTION:

Particulars: (1) Date of e-Auction Notification: 18-09-2025. (2) Last Date to upload the Eligibility Criteria in Annexure- A & Declaration in Annexure-B in the e-portal: **09.10.2025 on or before 16.00 Hrs.** (3) Live Bidding Commences at **11.00 Hrs. & Concludes at 16.00 Hrs. on 18.10.2025**

Brief Bid Notification: Udupi Urban Development Authority invites/offers quotes from the **eligible Nationalised/Public sector/ Regional Rural Banks** having Branches at Udupi City for investment by way of deposit of available funds out of its Funds. The Eligibility Criteria for participation for the Bid are given at Annexure - A. The declaration to be uploaded in the e-Portal is given at Annexure-B. The uploading of this document is mandatory for participating in the bid. The details of the e-Auction can be downloaded from the e-portal of the Government of Karnataka at the address below: **https:// kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

The brief bid notification, the pre-qualifying criteria for the bidders, schedule of bid events and other details can be accessed from the e-procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka. The deposits proposed for e-Auction as detailed below:

Amount Available: **Rs. 40.00 crores**, Period of Investment: **18 Months to 24 Months,** Date of e-Auction Notification: **18-09-2025**

Date and Time of Live Auction: **11.00 Hrs to 16.00 Hrs on 18.10.2025**

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Sd/-, Commissioner
Urban Development Authority, Udupi

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that My client **Mr.D Srimannarayana** S/o Late Raghavaiah R/a:No-729/5, 3rd Crss, Venkatadri Layout, Bilekahalli Village, Doresanipalya, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore-560 076, hereby informs that, the Duplicate Registered Sale Deed, Doc Nos. a) 7867/2012, dated: 10.10.2012, b) 7868/2012, dated: 10.10.2012, c) 7872/2012, dated: 10.10.2012, d) M Ananda Naidu-7869/2012, dated: 10.10.2012, e) G Venkateswara Rao-7871/2012 and f) Gangadhara Rao Chukkapalli-8145/2012, dated: 06.11.2012, All the properties are situated at: Vazhudigaimedu Village, Ponneri Taluk, Thiruvallur District-Chennai. Whichhave been lost/misplaced while travelling in Kammanahalli BBMP Office. My client has also lodged a police Complaint No.1810301/2025 on 19.09.2025. Any person/s are found the aforesaid document may return to our office.

Mohammed Hussain B.A., LLB,
Advocate,
'M.H.K Law Associates',
No.609,10th 'A' Main, 4th Block,
Jayanagar Bangalore-560011.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that my client Mrs. Lakshmi Kamesh W/o. Kamesh Babu S, #13, 12th Cross, 2nd Main, Sir M.V. Layout, Thindlu, VTC: Bangalore North, PO Vidhyanyapura, Bangalore North.

My client is the absolute owner in possession of the Site No. 13, Khatha No.581/Z measuring 30X40 ft., Situated at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, presently within the limit of BBMP and bounded on the:

East by : Site No. 14,
West by : Site No. 12,
North by : Road,
South by : Private property.

My client has lost the Original property documents i.e., Registered Sale Deed bearing Doc.No. 8838/1994-95, Registered Sale Deed bearing Doc.No. 20548/03-04 and Registered Sale Deed Doc.No. 3074/2008-09 dated 05.12.2008.

The said property is in possession of Mrs. Lakshmi Kamesh W/o. Kamesh Babu S since 25.07.2017 ; she is the absolute owner and free from all encumbrance whatsoever.

My Client had lost the above mentioned Sale deeds Inspite of several efforts the Original deeds are not found and he has lodged the police complaint through online dated 22.09.2025, Lost Report No. 1815333/2025.

If any person found or anyone having any claim or interest over the said property, he/she is requested to forward their claims along with the relevant documents to us within 07 days of this public notice. If we do not receive any claim from any person within 07 days, it will be strictly presumed that this property is absolutely free from any claim or encumbrance and no one has any claim over this property and if any One found the above deed kindly contact below mentioned.

PREMA B DUBAE, Advocate
FFD VI, 4th Floor, Sampoorna Chambers,
Vasavi Temple Road, V.V. Puram, Bengaluru-560004. 080-42053588 / 080-42296969

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE 1st ADDL CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C AT NELAMANGALA

Crl. Mis. No. 349/2025

Petitioners: 1. Sri. Krishna. H, S/o Late Hanumantharaya, aged about 38 years, **2. Sri. H. Nataraj,** S/o Late Hanumantharaya, aged about 44 years, **3. Smt. H. Hemalatha,** D/o Late Hanumantharaya, aged about 41 years, Petitioner No. 1 to 3 are R/o No.226, 3rd Cross, Haloorу Post, Byraveshwara Nagar, Heggadadevanapura Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North, Bangalore-562 162. -V/s-

Respondent: The Tahsildar, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore.

NOTICE

Whereas the petitioners have filed the above petition Under Section 13(3) of birth and death Registration Act., against the respondent for obtaining death certificate of the mother of the petitioners No.1 to 3 by name **Lakshmidevi** W/o Late Hanumantharaya.N was died on 29-01-2022 at No.226, 3rd Cross, Halooru Post, Byraveshwara Nagar, Heggadadevanapura Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North, Bangalore-562162. Hence the persons who are interested in the above case come and participate in the above proceedings.

Take this notices that you are hereby called upon to appear before the 1st ADDL Civil Judge at Nelamangala on **30-10-2025 at 11.00 AM.** Therefore you are hereby informed to appear on the said date. Failing which, the case shall be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 22-09-2025 at Nelamangala.

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge Junior Division and JMFC, Nelamangala

Advocates for Petitioners: **Sri. Kumara. K.S, & Smt. Nirmala. R** Nelamangala.

IN THE COURT OF III ADDITIONAL PRINCIPAL JUDGE FAMILY COURT AT BANGALORE

M.C. No. 2633/2024

BETWEEN: Ms. Aditi Mittal, Wife of Mr. Anuj Jindal, Daughter of Shri Sunder Lal Mittal, Aged about 37 years, Residing at Flat no. 11, Sulavi Apartment, ST Bed Layout, 1st Main Road, Koramangala 4th Block, Bengaluru-560034 **... PETITIONER**

AND: 1. Mr.Anuj Jindal, Son of Mr. Jiwan Jindal, Aged about 40 years, Residing at #602/1, Sector 41-A, Chandigarh.

2. Ms. Ayushi Jaiswal, Daughter of Mr. Dilip Jaiswal, Aged about 26 years, Residing at 002, E-Block, Aratt Felicita, Begur, Bangalore - 560068 **...RESPONDENTS**

SUMMONS TO THE RESPONDENTS

Whereas, the Petitioner has instituted a Petition for dissolution of marriage under Section 13(1)(i) & (ia) of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 against the Respondent No. 1 and the Respondent No. 2 is also a necessary party therein. The said Respondents are hereby directed to appear in person or through a pleader on **14-11-2025** at 11:00 AM before this Court to answer the said Petition.

Take notice that in default of your appearance, the suit will be heard and determined ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on 22-09-2025.

By order of the court, Senior Sheristedar, Family Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Petitioner:
ASTRIA LAW PARTNERS
1st Floor, No.20, 2nd Main, Crescent High Grounds, Bangalore-560001.

NORTH EASTERN RAILWAY

E-Tender Notice
TENDER NOTICE No. N-235-62 Tele Tender 09-2025

Dy. Chief Signal & Telecom Engineer/ Tele/HQ, N. E. Railway, Gorakhpur for and on behalf of President of India invites E-Tender for the following works from the contractors having sufficient experience as per eligibility criteria mentioned in tender document.

1-Tender No. N-235-62 Tele Tender 09-2025, **2-Name of work:** "Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of Various Telecom Material for Provision of Railnet & other Telecom facilities at different locations of Coaching Depot Gorakhpur, N. E. Railway. **3-Tender Value:** ₹ 1862914.19/- (Rs. Eighteen Lakh Sixty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Fourteen and Nineteen Paisa only), **4-Bid Security:** ₹ 37,300/-, **5-**Validity of offer: 60 days, **6-**Place, Date & Time of closing and opening of Tender: Office of the DSTE/Tele, N.E.Rly, Gorakhpur. 10.10.2025 at 15:00 Hrs., **7-**Completion Period: 03 (Three) MONTHS. **8-**For any changes of tender, please check on internet website for Corrigendum of the original tender notice. **9-**Detailed tender notice, documents, Eligibility criteria, terms & conditions are available at website **http://www.ireps.gov.in**

Note: The Tenderer's/bidder's must upload all relevant attachments/ Format/Annexure along with their bid.

Dy. Chief Signal & Telecom Engineer/ CPRO/Sig-55 Tele/HQ,Gorakhpur

Never travel on roof and foot boards.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general Public that my clients, **1) Sri. N. P. Manjunath,** S/o Sri N. C. Parameshwara and **2) Smt. B.S. Chandrakala Manjunath** W/o Sri. N. P. Manjunath, are intended to purchase the below mentioned schedule Property from the Present owners, 1) Sri. Manjunatha .H S/o Late Hanumantharayappa and 2) Sri. Shivakumar B.M. S/o Sri. N. Murthy, and Owners has handed over all the Xerox copies of the documents in respect of the below mentioned schedule Property which is in custody to my clients. Any person having any right, claim, title, interest or possession over the above said property may file their objection/s to the under signed with valid documentary proof, within 5 (Five) days from the date of publication of this notice and if no valid objection/s are received within above said stipulated time, my clients will proceed to purchase the above said property with assumption that, there are no objections or claim or title or interest or possession whatsoever nature from any person/s. Any objection received thereafter 5 (Five) days will not be entertained and my clients will proceed to purchase the below mentioned schedule Property in accordance with law.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property of the **BDA Vacant Site No.2196, PID No.6000077523, formed in survey No.15/1 and Survey No.15/3 of K Krishnasagara Village, the layout formed by The Bangalore Development Authority, situated at Sector-F, 5th Block, Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Layout, Bengaluru measuring East to West 18.00 metres and North to South 12.00 metres. Totally measuring 216.00 Square metres,** and bounded on: **East by :** Site No. 2145 and 2146, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Site No. 2197; **South by :** Site No.2195,

VAAGESHWARI ASSOCIATES, Advocates
No.47, Jayadatta Mansion, 5th Cross,
5th Main Road, Malleshwaram,
Bangalore-560 003.
Ph: 9844233994, 9448808844

Date: 23.09.2025
Place: Bengaluru

IN THE COURT OF THE IInd ADDL. SENIOR CIVIL JUDGE, BENGALURU RURAL DISTRICT, BENGALURU

G & WC. No. 78/2025

BETWEEN : Mrs. Leelamma Philipose W/o Mr. G Philipose Aged about 73 years R/a Valsalya Bhavan, Behind Ivy Park, Dodda kannehalli, Kasavanahalli, Bellandur, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560103 **...PETITIONER**

AND : 1. Mrs. Josna Philipose W/o. Mr. Abraham Mathew Aged about 44 years

2. Mr. Abraham Mathew S/o Mr. Mathew Aged about 53 years Both R/a No.13, Kodathi Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore - 560035 **...RESPONDENTS**

NOTICE TO RESPONDENTS

1. Mrs. Josna Philipose W/o Mr. Abraham Mathew Aged about 44 years

2. Mr. Abraham Mathew S/o Mr. Mathew Aged about 53 years Both R/a No.13, Kodathi Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore -560035

WHEREAS the above-named Petitioner has instituted the present Petition against the Respondents seeking to appoint the Petitioner as the guardian of the minor child, namely Master Rubiel Abraham Mathew, and further to direct the Respondents to not disturb the custody of the minor child until the age of majority. The Respondents are hereby directed to appear before this Hon'ble II Addl. Senior Civil Judge, Bengaluru Rural District, Bengaluru, either in person or through a duly instructed counsel on **13-10-2025 at 11 AM,** failing which the petition will be heard and determined ex parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on 18/9/25

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Senior Civil Judge Court
Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore

ADDRESS OF THE ADVOCATE
Sri. Nitin A.M, Advocate,
No.14, 2nd Floor, Dena Bank Colony,
Ganganagar, Bengaluru - 560032

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby informed that my clients **Mrs. K.M. PRATIBHA and Mr. K.M. MANJAIAH** are intending to purchase the below mentioned schedule of property from its owner **Mrs. DEEPASHREE BETTADAHALLI PRAKASH** W/o Mr. Aruna Chandrashekaran and **Mr. ARUNA CHANDRASHEKARAN** S/o Sri. Chandrasekharan Krishnappa: If anybody is having any objection, claim, interest, dispute for the above intended sale transaction, he/she/they may contact the undersigned with the documentary proof substantiating his/her/their objections/claims/details of dispute/s within Seven (7) days from the date of this publication, failing which, my client will proceed to complete the sale transaction with the above owner as if there are no third party claims/objections/disputes in respect of the Schedule Property and thereafter no claims/ objections/disputes will be entertained.

SCHEDULE

Property details : All that Residential Apartment bearing No. F-0943 in Nineth Floor of Tower-2/Block-F in the Project viz., 'BRIGADE PANORAMA' built in Schedule 'A' Property, presently bearing e-Khata No. 150200300200123038 and measuring 937.97 Sq. Feet (87.14 Sq. Mtrs.,) of carpet area and 469.21 Sq. Feet (43.59 Sq. Mtrs.,) of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and totally measuring 1407 Sq. Feet (130.73 Sq. Mtrs.,) of super built-up area approximately with One Covered Car Parking Space in the Lower/Upper Basement/Stilt Level and the apartment is bounded by: East : Entrance Lobby in Nineth Floor of Tower-2/Block-F in BRIGADE PANORAMA; West: Open towards Open Space at Tower-2/Block-F in BRIGADE PANORAMA; North Open towards Open Space at Tower-2/Block-F in BRIGADE PANORAMA; South Lift Lobby in Nineth Floor of Tower-2/Block-F in BRIGADE PANORAMA;

METRO LAW FIRM
1st Floor, No.9, Service Road, Remco Layout,
Hampi Nagar, landmark Athiguppe
Metro Station, Bangalore
Email : advocatehari@gmail.com,
Phone 8151999449

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE

No.01, 4th Floor, Telephone House,
Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001.

O.A No. 326/2024

BETWEEN: STATE BANK OF INDIA, Incube Branch, St. Marks Road, Bengaluru-560001. **... APPLICANT**

AND: M/s. YASHWANTH STEELS & CEMENTS and another **... DEFENDANTS**

To: **DEFENDANTS: 1) M/s. YASHWANTH STEELS & CEMENTS,** No. 192, Doddaballapura Main Road, Honnenahalli, Rajanukunte, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064. Represented by its Proprietor, Sri. Manjunatha. K. N.

2) Sri. MANJUNATHA. K. N, aged about 40 years, S/o. Narasimha Murthy, R/at No.37/1, Patalappa Layout, Adiganahalli Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Rajanukunte, Bengaluru-560064

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE) RULE 1996

1) WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendant for recovery of Rs.2,25,12,512/-(Rupees two crore twenty five lakh twelve thousand five hundred and twelve only) along with future interest @ 15.40% and 14.25% per annum respectively compounded with monthly rests from 10.08.2023 to till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with cost of this proceedings in respect of Cash Credit facility and GECL Credit facility along with cost of this proceedings and for the reliefs.

2) You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **16-12-2025** at **10:30 A.M** in the forenoon in person or pleader/advocate duly instructed has to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

3) Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Hon'ble Tribunal on 08-08-2025.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE

No.01, 4th Floor, Telephone House,
Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001.

O.A No. 2057/2024

BETWEEN: PUNJAB & SIND BANK, Chickpet Area Branch, Bengaluru-560053. **... APPLICANT**

AND: M/s. VNR ENTERPRISES and others **... DEFENDANTS**

To, **DEFENDANTS: 1) M/s. VNR ENTERPRISES,** No.1509/A, 27th Cross, 25th Main, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560070. Rep. by its Partners 1) Sri. K. Guruprasad, 2) Sri. K. B. Rajesh

2) Sri. K. GURUPRASAD, aged about 50 years, S/o. Rama Murthy, R/at No.202, 2nd Floor, Siri Harmony, Ankappa Layout, Uttarahalli, Bengaluru-560061

4) Sri. K. B. RAJESH, aged about 54 years, S/o. K. Bhaskar Rao, R/at No.112, 11th Main, Jayanagar 4th 'T' Block, Bengaluru-560041.

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE) RULE 1996

1) WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendant for recovery of Rs.73,30,402/-(Rupees seventy three lakh thirty thousand four hundred and two only) along with future interest @ 10.74%, 11.85% and 10.00% per annum respectively compounded with monthly rests from 30.06.2024 to till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with 2% per annum penalty from 30.06.2024 to till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with cost of this proceedings in respect of PSB Vyapar Overdraft facility, FITL Credit facility and WCTL under PSB-GECL 1.0 Extension facility along with cost of this proceedings and for the reliefs.

2) You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **12-11-2025** at **10:30 A.M** in the forenoon in person or pleader/advocate duly instructed has to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

3) Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Hon'ble Tribunal on 06-08-2025.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public are hereby notified that my client Smt. Aparna Mahadevan daughter of Sri. Mahadevan has agreed to purchase the under mentioned Schedule Property from, 1.Sri. Rajesh Bethadapura Rangaswamy 2. Sri. Rangaswamy Sudhir Bettadapura both are Sons of Sri. Bettadapura Rangaswamy. if any person(s) including but not limited to banks, financial institutions, private financiers and all statutory authorities having any objections for the proposed purchase or clam any right, title interest or share in the Schedule property or any part thereof by way of sale , gift, exchange mortgage, charge lien, lease, license, easement, inheritance, decree, award, trust or otherwise, howsoever shall lodge his/her/their objection(s) and /or claim(s) with the under signed along with supporting documents within FIFTEEN (15) days from the date of this publication. Any objection(s) and /or claim(s) and /or response received thereafter will not be binding on my client and my client will proceed to purchase the Schedule Property as if there are no claim/s or objections.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of House bearing No. 38, BBMP Old PIDNO/Khatha/Survey No.72-9-38 situated at 3rd Main, Domlur II Stage Extension, Bengaluru Urban District, measuring East to West:12.9 meters and North to South 18.74 meters Feet in all measuring 228.50 square meters, consisting of Ground Floor measuring about 1322.50 square feet built up area, First floor measuring about 1322.50 square feet built up area and terrace lobby on second floor measuring about 93.74 square feet of built –up area and open terrace area of about 1228.75 square feet and bounded on East by: Site No.39, West by: Site No.37, North by: Site No.22, South by: Road.

Sd/- **LAKKANNA.N**
Advocate & Legal Consultants
No.692, Shankarnagar Main Road,
Vijayanandanagar, Nandini Layout,
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SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY

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E- Tender Notice No. 473/DRM/W/GNT
Date: 19.09.2025

PUB/1171

The undersigned invites e-tenders for the works mentioned below upto 15:30hrs of 16.10.25.

Sl No.: 1 **Tender Id:** 2808 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** Co-ord **Description of work:** Carrying out Ancillary works in connection with Rail/Weld testing by USFD equipment in Guntur division for a period of 2 years. **Approx value:** ₹1,46,64,149/- **EMD:** ₹223300/-

Sl No.: 2 **Tender Id:** 2809 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** North **Description of work:** SW-I: SSE/P.Way/NGNT jurisdiction: Proposed Safety Related Yard Improvement & Upgradation Works at Various Yards (VJA, SJL, VMU, RAL) (Phase-1) SW-II: SSE/P.Way/SAP jurisdiction: Proposed Safety Related Yard Improvement & Upgradation Works at Various Yards (BDPL, SRPM, PKPU, SAP, REM, BMKD) (Phase-I) SW-III: SSE/P.Way/PGRL jurisdiction: Proposed Safety Related Yard Improvement & Upgradation Works at Various Yards (PGRL, TMLU, PGRN, NLPI, RPCA) (Phase-I) **Approx value:** ₹3,53,10,846/- **EMD:** ₹326600/-

Sl No.: 3 **Tender Id:** 2810 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** North **Description of work:** SW-I: SSE/P.Way/NDKD jurisdiction: Proposed Safety Related Yard Improvement & Upgradation Works at Various Yards (NDKD, MCLA, PDGL, VNUP, JNPD, KDGL, MRGA, KADM) (Phase-I) SW-II: SSE/P.Way/CTYL jurisdiction: Proposed Safety Related Yard Improvement & Upgradation Works at Various Yards (BMMP, NRDP, VLG, RMNP, CTYL, SRMR, NLDA, RYGA, TPPI) (Phase-I) **Approx value:** ₹4,57,38,317/- **EMD:** ₹378700/-

Sl No.: 4 **Tender Id:** 2811 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** North **Description of work:** Replacement of MOLB to EOLB at 3 Nos Level Crossings (LC No 50 @ KM 85/17-18 between NLDA-RYGA stations, LC No 39 @ km 41/23-24 between PKPU SAP stations and LC No 286 @km 32/15-16 VMU-RAL) over GNT Division-Construction of Relay/ Equipment and Battery room **Approx value:** ₹94,95,677/- **EMD:** ₹189900/-

Sl No.: 5 **Tender Id:** 2812 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** West **Description of work:** SW-I: Replacement of MOLB to EOLB at 2 Nos Level Crossings (LC No 184 @ KM 257/12-13 between NDL-PNM stations, LC No 192 @km 242/1-2 GZL Yard SW-II: Replacement of MOLB to EOLB at 1 Nos Level Crossings LC No 17B @ km 24/25-27 MAG-KCC section) over GNT Division -Construction of Relay/ Equipment and Battery room. **Approx value:** ₹94,95,677/- **EMD:** ₹189900/-

Sl No.: 6 **Tender Id:** 2813 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** West **Description of work:** Pathway for open web girder in connection with laying of water pipeline on Krishna Bridge of span (12x89.065m) and Br.No.1 & 1B between KCC-BZA stations and KCC-MAG stations. **Approx value:** ₹29713631/- **EMD:** ₹298600/-

Sl No.: 7 **Tender Id:** 2814 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** West **Description of work:** SW-1: Improvements to SSE/P.Way offices and stores in DEN/West/GNT Section. SW-2: Improvements to SSE/P.Way office buildings and store sheds of Guntur Division. **Approx value:** ₹17626918/- **EMD:** ₹238100/-

Sl No.: 8 **Tender Id:** 2815 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** West **Description of work:** Providing Assistant to Monsoon patrolling, keyman patrolling & fire patrolling in Ghat section, Security patrolling & Rail barricading at trespassing locations and stationary watchmen at water logged RUBs, vulnerable locations in DEN/West/GNT section for a period of 12 months. **Approx value:** ₹14934649/- **EMD:** ₹224700/-

Sl No.: 9 **Tender Id:** 2816 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** West **Description of work:** SW-I:-Safety related Track Maintenance Works in ADEN/ NDL jurisdiction (SSE/P.Way/ MRK,GID,NDL(G) sections) SW-II:- Corrosion prevention measures for rails in yards of ADEN/NDL section. **Approx value:** ₹28802993/- **EMD:** ₹294100/-

Sl No.: 10 **Tender Id:** 2817 **Sr/DEN/ DEN Section:** North **Description of work:** Augmentation of watering facilities and Drainage arrangements for staff quarters in various stations under DEN/North/GNT in GNT division. **Approx value:** ₹48722628/- **EMD:** ₹393600/-

1. Last date for online submission of E-bids is upto 15.30 hrs of 16.10.2025. For detailed information logon to website **www.ireps.gov.in** 2. Any further Communication/ Corrigendum shall be intimated through E-portal **www.ireps.gov.in.**

Divisional Railway Manager (Works), Guntur
A1479

For further tender conditions / details and for downloading the tender documents, please visit website at www.ireps.gov.in http://www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

Stating that Telangana stands to lose around Rs 7,000 crore from the revision of GST slabs, Chief Minister A Revanth Reddy on Monday urged the Union government to compensate the state for the shortfall. Revanth said the new GST structure would adversely affect state revenues

DA CASE

SC's Surya Kant bench to hear CBI plea against DKS

IT department recovers Rs 41L during raids on his premises in 2017; arrests him in 2019

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday said a bench led by Justice Surya Kant would hear the matter in connection with the Karnataka government's decision to withdraw consent to the CBI to investigate a disproportionate assets case against Deputy Chief Minister **DK Shivakumar.**

The top court's order came as it noted that the pleas were earlier dealt by another bench headed by Justice Kant. On Monday, the two-judge bench headed by Justice BR Gavai and Justice K Vinod Chandran ordered this, when the matter came up for hearing before them.

Senior advocate Abhishek Manu Singhvi, appearing for the state Congress president, said the CJI earlier said that political scores should be settled elsewhere and not in courts. The current Karnataka cabinet headed by Chief Minister Siddaramaiah on November 23, 2023, held the previous BJP government's 2019 move to give consent to CBI to investigate the DA case against Shivakumar was not in accordance with law and decided to withdraw the sanction.

On August 29, the Karnataka High Court held as "non-maintainable" a petition filed by the CBI and BJP MLA Basanagouda Patil Yatnal challenging the Congress government's decision to withdraw the consent. After this, CBI had moved the apex court challenging the HC order.

As per the CBI case, the Income Tax Department had carried out a raid in 2017 at various premises of Shivakumar in New Delhi and other places. The agency collected a total of Rs 8,59,69,100 of which Rs 41 lakh were allegedly recovered from Shivakumar's premises. He could not convince the agency as to where this amount has come from and how he was in this possession, the CBI alleged.

After the raid, a case was registered by the CBI against Shivakumar before the Special Court for Economic Offences under provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961. It is also to be noted that following this IT case, the ED also registered a case against the Deputy CM and he was subsequently arrested on September 3, 2019.

The Supreme Court had on November last year, sought replies from the Karnataka government and Shivakumar, after hearing the appeal filed by CBI challenging the State Government's decision to withdraw its consent to the probe agency for investigating the DA case against the Congress leader.

K'taka launches Rs 1,000cr LEAP to boost innovation

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THE Karnataka department of IT/BT on Monday launched its Local Economy Accelerator Programme (LEAP) to promote innovation and entrepreneurship, especially in rural areas.

Revealing this to reporters here, IT/BT Minister Priyank Kharge said the state government has announced an allocation of Rs 1,000 crore to implement the programme, which is expected to create five lakh jobs.

Priyank said LEAP was announced in this year's budget. The aim is to create cluster-based economic accelerators outside Bengaluru. It could be exclusively IT and BT, IT/BT or electronics or skill development. It should not be limited to Bengaluru alone, but spread across the state. The government has announced Rs 1,000 crore for Phase I of LEAP, which is the first of its kind with so much funding.

"We are investing Rs 1,000 crore and generating five lakh jobs. We are taking a cluster-based approach, where two to three districts will be considered as a cluster. In Karnataka, IT exports from Mysuru last year amounted to Rs 5,700 crore, Rs 2,800 crore from Mangaluru and Rs 2,500 crore from Belagavi-Hubballi. Each cluster will have a different sector. All innovations and startups are happening in these places, but in a small way. People from these regions go to Bengaluru for jobs. We want to help them get jobs in their places. We will work with industries, private accelerators, and venture capitalist and education institutions," he said.

The minister said of the Rs 1,000-crore allocation, Rs 100 crore will be towards deep tech corpus, while Rs 200 crore will be invested by the private sector. Through this, startups in areas such as AI and cyber technology outside Bengaluru will get aid. Karnataka has established many centres of excellence based on the local economy. In Mangaluru, the focus will be on marine biotech. In Kalaburagi, agri-based units will be set up to produce super food. Such centres need incubators, manpower and training centres. A need-based plan will be formulated.

As part of LEAP, the government has plans to extend the ELEVATE grant model (Its a grant-in-aid seed funding scheme) to startups in tier II and tier III cities. "We will help them build physical infrastructure and offer structured programmes that help early stage ventures grow," he said.

OFFICIAL MEET

Karnataka Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot with President Droupadi Murmu at Rashtrapathi Bhavan in New Delhi, on Monday| EXPRESS

Cong MLC hints at Cabinet reshuffle in Nov

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

SENIOR Congress leader and MLC Saleem Ahmed on Monday hinted at a major reshuffle in the state cabinet in November, when the Siddaramaiah government completes two-and-half years in office.

Speaking to the media in New Delhi, the Congress leader said they have already requested the party leadership and the CM to give opportunities to new faces by allocating responsibilities of the party to 50% of the ministers. The cabinet reshuffle is likely in November, he added.

Stating that he too is a ministerial aspirant, the Congress MLC said he was a PCC working president in 2023. While three other working presidents were inducted into the cabinet, he was left out, Ahmed said, adding that he had faced injustice during that time.

"Now, I am confident that the CM, DCM, and the party high command will give me an opportunity during the next cabinet reshuffle. I won from Gadag, Haveri, and Dharwad in the Kittur Karnataka region. No minority person from the Kittur Karnataka region has been given an opportunity in the last 20 years," he said. He, however, refused to respond to a question on leadership change in the state.

SC stays proceedings against TN min Durai Murugan

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

IN a major relief to Water Resources Minister M Duraimurugan and his wife D Shanthakumari in a disproportionate assets case, the Supreme Court on Monday stayed the Madras High Court's order quashing their discharge by a trial court in the case.

A bench of Justices Dipankar Datta and Augustine George Masih also sought the response of the Tamil Nadu government on a special leave petition filed by the senior DMK leader and his wife against the HC order of April 24, 2025.

The petitioners had challenged the sanction for prosecution accorded by the Assembly Speaker in the case, contending that it should have been obtained from the Tamil Nadu Governor since Duraimurugan was a minister at the time of commissioning of the alleged offence. After hearing the submissions of senior advocates Mukul Rohatgi and P Wilson for the petitioners, the court stayed further proceedings in the case and directed the matter to be tagged along with similar cases pending before the apex court on the issue of authority to sanction prosecution in such cases.

M Duraimurugan

The HC had allowed the revision petition filed by the state government to set aside the January 31, 2017 order of the Special Judge/ Chief Judicial Magistrate, Vellore, discharging them in the case registered on November 23, 2011.

According to the prosecution, police have registered the FIR against the petitioners for offences allegedly committed under Section 13(1) and 13(2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

It was alleged that when the petitioner was serving as a minister between May 13, 2006 and May 14, 2011, he had been in possession of pecuniary resources and properties disproportionate to his known sources of income.

The prosecution further alleged the petitioner and his wife amassed disproportionate assets worth Rs 1.40 crore during the check period.

EXPRESS READ

Odisha Speaker rejects no-trust motion

Bhubaneswar: SPEAKER Surama Padhy on Monday rejected the notice for no-confidence motion against the state government brought by the Congress due to continuous disruptions in the House. The Speaker said that the no-confidence motion was submitted to the Assembly secretary on September 18 and she had asked the officials to bring the notice for admission in the House on September 19. However, as there was continuous disruption in the proceedings, the notice could not be placed in the House on that day and it has lapsed, she said. The Congress MLAs protested the decision of the Speaker and staged a dharna near the Mahatma Gandhi statue on the Assembly premises. They also shouted slogans like 'BJD-BJP Bhai Bhai' in the well of the House before walking out after the announcement by the Speaker. Leader of Congress legislature party Ram Chandra Kadam said the BJD had joined hands with the BJP to prevent a discussion on the motion.

Theft accused dies in police custody in Odisha

Cuttack: A 38-year-old man allegedly died in police custody inside the Choudwar police station on Monday. He is reported to have died by suicide after being unable bear the torture by police. The deceased, identified as Rasananda Nayak of Shankarpur in Dhenkanal, was detained in connection with a bike theft case on Sunday night. Nayak's family, including his wife Puja Nayak and a relative Jitun Barik, claimed that he hanged himself with the help of his belt inside the police station's washroom as he couldn't tolerate the police's assault. According to police, as many as eight criminal cases were pending against Rasananda in Dhenkanal Sadar police station, Kaliapani police station in Jajpur, Markat Nagar police station, Cantonment police station and Athagarh police station in Cuttack and Nandankanan police station in Bhubaneswar.

'Flyer's intention not malicious'

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THE passenger and his companions were then handed over to the Central Industrial Security Force for further investigation. Sources claimed that the passenger's intention was not malicious.

"We are aware of media reports regarding an incident on one of our flights to Varanasi, where a passenger approached the cockpit entry area while looking for the lavatory. We reaffirm that robust safety and security protocols are in place and were not compromised. The matter was reported to the relevant authorities on landing and is currently under investigation," said an Air India Express Spokesperson.

Who funded complainant? SIT probe on in D'sthala

DIVYA CUTINHO @ Mangaluru

THE Special Investigation Team (SIT), probing the alleged crimes in Dharmasthala, is now looking into the funding of the 45-year-old witness-complainant. SIT sources said that 11 persons through whose bank accounts the money was transferred to the key complainant have been issued notice. The complainant, a former sanitation worker in Dharmasthala, is currently in judicial custody in Shivamogga on charges of perjury.

"We questioned six people who had transferred the money to his account. Some of them are supporters of Mahesh Shetty Thimarodi. The complainant had received around Rs 3.5 lakh. Even from Girish Mattannavar's wife's account, there was a money transfer to the complainant about six months ago," an officer associated with the SIT told The New Indian Express on condition of anonymity.

The officer said that a decision on registering Unnatural Death Report cases on seven skulls and human remains recovered by themselves or by the district police is yet to be taken, and the SIT has sought magistrate's permission in this regard, the officer added.

"We are gathering details of missing complaints registered with the State Crime Record Bureau in Karnataka, neighbouring Kerala and Telangana, and other southern states. Based on forensic doctors' information on the remains recovered, we will tally it with the missing cases," the officer said.

Meanwhile, the witness-complainant is likely to register a Section 183 statement before the Belthangady court on Tuesday. Thimarodi is yet to appear for questioning after being booked under the Arms Act upon finding a gun and weapons at his house during the search by the SIT. Meanwhile, legal counsel for Thimarodi has reportedly filed a bail petition.

Hyderabad forced to stand still as rain trigger waterlogging, and traffic chaos

KHYATI SHAH @ Hyderabad

THE city was paralysed on Monday evening as heavy rains turned arterial roads into flowing water channels, leaving commuters stranded for over an hour during peak traffic.

Waterlogging was reported in Khairatabad flyover, Raj Bhavan Road and the PVNR Expressway. Water entering transformers caused localised electricity outages in some areas. Residents of Towlichowki & Hakimpet witnessed chaos as two-wheelers, autos and cars were swept away like toys in gushing waters. Shaikpet recorded the highest downpour in the city at 97.3 mm, followed by Srinagar Colony in Khairatabad at 89.5 mm.

Roads beneath several Metro stations turned into mini-lakes, forcing people to seek shelter under pillars and station roofs. Traffic police and Disaster Response Force teams were deployed to manage vehicles and crowds. Residents highlighted recurring issues, particularly at Raj Bhavan Road, where a rainwater-holding structure meant to prevent flooding filled within minutes, leaving the stretch submerged under knee-deep water. Despite GHMC constructing 10 rainwater harvesting structures across the city, each with a capacity of 2–10 lakh litres at a cost of ₹50 lakh to ₹1 crore, heavy rains continue to overwhelm the system.

A man walks through a waterlogged road, in Somajiguda, Hyderabad | SRI LOGANATHAN

Commuters took to social media to vent frustration. "It took me three hours to reach Paradise from Banjara Hills," one X user wrote. Videos circulating online showed cars floating, two-wheelers being washed away and underpasses turning into dangerous water traps.

At DV Colony near Patny Nala, residents reported repeated waterlogging: "We just finished draining rainwater from the rains the day before, and now it's submerged again. Motors cannot run due to power cuts."

Annamalai calls Pinarayi & Stalin 'Nastik Dramacharis'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Pathanamthitta

THE Sabarimala Samrakshana Sangamam organised by Sangh Parivar groups in Pandalam on Monday, which drew thousands of devotees, turned into a platform for sharp criticism of Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan and his Tamil Nadu counterpart M K Stalin.

Inaugurating a public meeting held as part of the event, former Tamil Nadu BJP president K Annamalai launched a blistering attack on the two leaders, branding them "Nastik Dramacharis".

He accused them of misusing devotees' platforms while standing against Sanatana Dharma. "Both atheist friends came together only to perform drama. Even their conferences saw poor turnout," he quipped, beginning his speech by bowing before devotees.

The Sabarimala Samrakshana Sangamam was organised in response to the Travancore Devaswom Board's Global Ayyappa Sangamam which was inaugurated by Pinarayi.

The Pandalam meeting saw participation of Sangh Parivar activists from across Kerala and outside. Speaking in Tamil, Annamalai tore into the LDF government's Ayyappa Sangamam and drew parallels with the DMK government's Global Muruga Conference held in Madurai.

ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

K'taka tells automakers to take back & recycle scrapped vehicles

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka State Environment Department has directed automobile manufacturers and dealers to take back end-of-life vehicles, cars, two-wheelers and three-wheelers, for scrapping and recycling.

Officials said metals and other materials extracted from scrapped vehicles must be recycled and reused. At the same time, unutilised components should either be scientifically disposed of or sent to cement industries for incineration. Companies will also be required to maintain audit reports of the process.

The department is preparing a draft policy on vehicle buy-back and recycling for government approval. "A policy decision will be taken soon. Discussions with the government are underway," a senior department official said.

According to the official, manufacturers have been asked to extract usable metals from old vehicles to reduce waste and address multiple forms of vehicular pollution. "It is a misconception that vehicular pollution is only about emissions. Scrap piles, rotting metals and leaking chemicals are equally harmful. With the rising number of vehicles,especially electric vehicles, battery and lead disposal have become urgent issues," the official said.

Talks are also on to offer incentives to companies that take back and recycle vehicles, such as benefits while expanding plants or seeking approvals for new projects. The initiative could also earn them carbon credits, boosting financial audits and business operations. In addition, firms will be expected to offer discounts to customers when buying back and scrapping vehicles.

Principal Secretary for Environment and Ecology, Srinivasalu, said the initiative offers a more meaningful environmental contribution than sporadic afforestation drives or marathons. "Corporate Social and Environmental Responsibility should go beyond tree-planting. Taking back and responsibly scrapping vehicles can bring tangible benefits to the environment," he said.

Under the CSR and CER framework, companies are also being urged to expand sewage and tertiary treatment plants into community treatment facilities, enabling surrounding villages to benefit and helping curb environmental pollution.

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(A Government of India Undertaking)

Cox Town (Bengaluru North)

No.69/70, Maruti Surana Manglam, Wheeler Road, Cox Town, Bengaluru-560005

Notice under Rule 6(2) and/or Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Ref No. BOB: VJCOX: ADV:25-26 **Date : 20.09.2025**

To, (Addressed to Borrowers/Mortgagors/ Guarantors) **1) M/s.Supritha Enterprises,** No.24, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, K. R. Garden, Jeevanahalli, Bengaluru-560005, **Represented by its proprietor, Sri. Prathip. U. M. 2) M/s. Sannidhi Enterprises,** No.24, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, K. R. Garden, Jeevanahalli, Bengaluru-560005, **Represented by its proprietor, Sri. Prathip. U. M. 3) M/s. HRHP Enterprises,** No.24, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, K. R. Garden, Jeevanahalli, Bengaluru-560005, **Represented by its propreitrix, Smt.Jyothi. 4) Smt. Jyothi,** No.24, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, K. R. Garden, Jeevanahalli, Bengaluru-560005. **5) Smt. Lalitha** W/o Sri. Mahadeva, No.24, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, K. R. Garden, Jeevanahalli, Bengaluru-560005. **6) Sri. Prathip. U. M,** No.24, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, K. R. Garden, Jeevanahalli, Bengaluru-560005.

Re: Notice under Rule 6(2) and/or Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (SARFAESI Act, 2002).

Ref:- 1. Demand Notice dated 23.04.2025 issued u/s 13 (2) of SARFAESI Act 2002.

2. Possession Notice dated 05.07.2025 issued u/s 13 (4) of SARFAESI Act 2002.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Whereas the Authorised Officer of the **Bank of Baroda, Branch Cox Town (Bengaluru North),** No.69/70, Maruti Surana Manglam, Wheeler Road, Cox Town, Bengaluru-560005, being Secured Creditor Bank in exercise of the powers conferred u/s 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act 2002 (hereinafter refereed as "Act") read with Rules 3 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 (hereinafter refereed as "Rules") issued demand notice dated **23.04.2025** calling upon you being Borrowers (s)/ Mortgagor (s)/ Guarantor (s) to repay the amount stated in the said demand notice within 60 days from receipt of said notice.

And whereas you have failed to repay the amount, the undersigned in exercise of the powers conferred u/s 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 4 and/or Rule 8 of the Rules have taken over the Possession of Secured Assets (hereinafter referred as the said properties) more particularly described herein below Schedule. [Copy of Possession Notice dated **05.07.2025** is attached herewith for ready reference].

Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Bank as mentioned in above Possession Notice. Your attention is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of SARFAESI Act, 2002 in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Therefore you all are requested to pay the dues as mentioned in possession notice along with applicable interest, cost, charges & expenses within 30 days from receipt of this notice and redeem the secured asset as mentioned below. In case you fail to pay the Demand Notice Amount & redeem the secured asset within 30 days from receipt of this notice, Bank will be constrained to sell the secured asset through public e-Auction by publication of e-Auction Sale notice. The date, time of e-auction and Reserve Price of the property shall be informed to you separately.

Schedule of Secured Assets/Properties

Description of the Movable/Immovable Properties	Date of Possession	Type of Possession (Symbolic/ Physical)	Date of Publication of Possession Notice (For Immovable property Only)
All that piece and parcel of the property bearing New Municipal No.24, BBMP PID No.86-84-24, portion of property bearing No.8/B, carved out of Sy No.165, situated at Jeevanahalli, 1st Cross, 1st Stage, K. R. Garden, Bengaluru, measuring Eastern Side 20 Feet, on the Western Side 21 Feet, Northern Side 25 Feet and on the Southern 26 Feet, in all measuring 543.25 Square Feet, alongwith the construction standing thereon comprising of Ground Floor and First Floor, and the same is bounded on the : East by : Private Property, West by : Proposed Road, North by : Munraju's Property, South by : Ramakrishna's property.	05.07.2025	Symbolic	06.07.2025

Date : 20.09.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Bank of Baroda**

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1		Purchasing of Mini Hydraulic Excavator TMX 30 NEO In Raichur City. Estimate Cost Rs. 28.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ IND5390
2		Purchasing of Jetting Cum Sucking Cum Desilting Vehicle At Raichur City Estimate Cost Rs. 59.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ IND5371
3		Purchase of Mini Hydraaulic Excavator Tmx 20 Neo Model Vehicle at Raichur City. Estimate Cost Rs. 27.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ IND5373
4	15th Finance Grant.	Purchasing Of Mini Sweeping Machine At Raichur City Estimate Cost Rs.64.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ IND5394
5		Purchaseof Compactor 14 Cubiic Meter Vehicle at Raichur City Estimate Cost Rs.93.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26 /IND5370
6		Development of Drainage and CC Road from P.Shravan Kumar House in Ward No. 19 to Girani Thimmaiah House and up to Thimmaiah House and up to the main Road Near Batti Mareppa House in Raichur City **Estimate Cost Rs. 7.00 Lakhs**	General	DMA/2025-26/ OW/ WORK_ INDENT49470
7		Flushing and installing motors for borewells in Ward 08 of the Raichur City. **Estimate Cost Rs.4.00 Lakhs**	General	DMA/2025-26/ WS/ WORK_ INDENT49467
8	KKRDB, DMF CSR FUND	Providing Lighting Arrangements to Mecca Darwaza Fort in Raichur City Estimate Cost Rs.200.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ EL/ WORK_ INDENT49233
9		Laying of 90 mm Diameter HDPE Pipe Line from Station Circle to Convent School, behind Mahila College in Ward No. 04 Raichur City. Estimate Cost Rs.4.00 Lakhs	Cat-II A	DMA/2025-26/ WS/ WORK_ INDENT49444
10	15th Finance Fund	Construction of RCC Drain From Kalamala Ramanna House to Bhandhari Basappa House and Bellam Colony at ward no 05 in Raichur City Estimate Cost Rs. 14.91 Lakhs	Cat-II A	DMA/2025-26/ RD/ WORK_ INDENT49400
11		Construction of UGD and CC road from Old Millman School to Viresh House in Ward No. 23 In Raichur City Estimate Cost Rs.7.00 Lakhs	SC	DMA/2025-26/ RD/ WORK_ INDENT49339
12	15th Finance Fund & Corporation Fund	Proposed Construction of R O Plant Near Marigemma Temple at Ward No 13 in Raichur City Estimate Amount Rs. 11,33,000/-	-	DMA/2025-26/ WS/ WORK_ INDENT49563
13		Construction of CC road and CC drains around Karemma Temple in Ward No. 34 of Raichur City. Estimate Cost Rs.10.00 Lakhs	General	DMA/2025-26/ RD/ WORK_ INDENT49398
14	15th Finance Fund	Providing UGD work from Jai Kant Grocery Store to public toilet in Ward No. 30 of the Raichur City. Estimate Cost Rs.7.00 Lakhs	General	DMA/2025-26/ RD/ WORK_ INDENT49346
15		Fixing of cable and Starter to 215 HP Motor at Rampur Canal in Raichur City. Estimate Cost Rs.10.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ SE6202
16	Corporation Fund	Operation and Maintenance of 5.5 MLD STP (SBR) at Yermaras In Raichur City for the Period of 12 Months (1 Year). Estimate Cost Rs.69.00 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ SE6219
17		Providding Of Gps System For Swm Vehicles For Raichur City Corporation Office In Raichur City. Estimate Cost Rs.68.55 Lakhs	-	DMA/2025-26/ SE5316/ CALL-2

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(Notice under Section 13 (2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002)

The following borrowers and co-borrowers availed the below mentioned secured loans from ORIX Leasing & Financial Services India Limited. The loans of the below mentioned borrowers have been secured by the mortgage of their respective properties. As they have failed to adhere to the terms and conditions of the respective loan agreements and had become irregular, their loans were classified as NPA as per the RBI Guidelines. Amounts due by them to ORIX Leasing & Financial Services India Limited, are mentioned as per the respective notices issued more particularly described in the following table and further interest on the said amounts shall also be applicable and the same will be charged as per contractual rate with effect from their respective dates

Sr No.	Loan Account No.	Type of Loan	Name of borrowers	Outstanding as per 13(2) Notice	Notice Date	Details of Secured asset
1	LN0000000010675	SME Secured Loan	1. H L Jyothi 2. Ananthapadmanabha H L 3. Girijamma H L	INR 1,76,27,275/-	18.09.2025	All That Piece And Parcel Of Property No. 5-67/1 And No.6-67/1, Khatha. No.5/339/6 (old No. 6/5), Dr. M. H. Marigowda Road, Chikkalakshmaiah Layout, Drc Post, Ward. No. 146, Having Land Area 3694.0 Sq. Ft, Audugodi, Lakkasandra, Bangalore-560029 And **Bounded As Under: East:** Property.no.07, **West:** Property.no.04, **North:** Property. No.31 & No.32, **South:** Hosur Road
2	LN0000000010161	SME Secured Loan	1. Nagaraja Guptha S R 2. S N Uma 3. M/s Sri Sai Bhuvana Enterprises	INR 66,61,774.45/-	18.09.2025	All That Piece And Parcel Of Property Bearing Bbmp Katha No. 60/3, Assigned To The Southern Portion Of House List No. 33/3 – A1, Pid No. 100-344-60/3, Measuring East To West 45 Feet And North To South 15 Feet, Situated At Geddalahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Presently At 5th Cross Road, G M Ramakrishnappa Layout, Comprising Of A Building And **Bounded As: East:** Property Bearing No. 61, **West:** 25 Feet Road, **North:** Property Bearing No. 60 Belonging To Mr. S. Ramakrishna, **South:** Property Bearing No. 62

You are hereby called upon to pay the amounts due to ORIX Leasing & Financial Services India Limited as per details shown in the above table with contracted rate of interest thereupon from their respective dates and other costs, charges etc., within 60 days from the date of this publication, failing which the undersigned shall be constrained to initiate proceedings U/s 13(4) and Sec. 14 of the SARFAESI Act, against the mortgage properties mentioned herein above to realize the amount due to ORIX Leasing & Financial Services India Limited. Further you are prohibited U/s 13(13) of the said Act from transferring the said secured asset either by way of sale / lease or otherwise.

Date : 18.09.2025
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised officer
ORIX Leasing & Financial Services India Limited

Punjab & Sind Bank

(A Government of India Undertaking)

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Paramahansa Yogananda Road (Double Road)
Indira Nagar, Bengaluru - 560038
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NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS NOTICE OF REDEMPTION) RULE 6 (2)/8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

Date : 19.08.2025

To,
1. Mr. Munna S/o Allah Bashar
2. Mrs Shamina Banu W/o Mr. Munna
No 1 And 2 Are At : No. 14/4, Old no. 27, Bowee Street, Ulsoor Bengaluru 560008.
3.Mr. Aslam Basha S/o K.R. Shafiulla Basha
No. 38/12, Ground Floor, Kaliyamman Koli Street , Bengaluru 560008.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub – Sale of property belonging to **Mrs. Shameem Banu W/o Mr. Munna** for realization of amount due to Bank under the SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

Punjab and Sind Bank, **Indirangagar Bengaluru,** the secured creditor, issued a demand notice dated **05.08.2024** under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorised Officer, has taken possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **12.12.2024** Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to bank. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be published subsequently. Therefore, the **30** days notice of redemption is hereby given to you as per Rule 6 (2)/8 (6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.
However, if you pay the amount due to the bank **Rs.6,75,999.39** as on **31.07.2025** along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by bank before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the mortgaged security and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec. 13 (8) of the Act.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Municipal No. 14/4, New Municipal no. 1, PID No. 81-66-14/4, situated at Bowee Street, Ulsoor, Bangalore 560008 measuring East 33 feet , on the West 33 feet, On th North 9.5 feet and on the South 10 feet ie., in total 308 square feet along with building bounded as: **East by :** Sri Hamjoo's Property , **West by :** Sri A. Ahmed Basha's property, **North by :** Common passage and **South by :** Private Property.

Date : 19.08.2025 **Authorized Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Punjab & Sind Bank**

Indian Overseas Bank

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Demand notice to Borrowers / Mortgagors/Guarantors Under Sub-section (2) of section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

To, **Borrowers: 1. M/s. Vijaya Mining Company,** Office Address: S. No. 185, Obalapuram Village, D. Hirelal Mandal. Ananthpur Dist. (AP) - 515 272, Represented by its Partners: **a) Mr. Gopi K M S/o Mariswamy T, b) Mrs Radha Rani G W/o: Mr. Gopi K M, 2. M/s. Vijaya Enterprises, Office Address:** Saptagiri Nivas, 1st Floor, 1st Cross, Neharu Colony, Bellary. Represented by its Proprietor **Mr. Gopi K M S/o Mariswamy T. Guarantors: 1. Mr. Gopi K M S/o: Mariswamy T,** D. No. 2150, Red Wood, 2nd Stage, B. M. Kaval, Mychael Palya, Indira Nagar, Bangalore - 560 038, **2. Mrs Radha Rani G,** W/o. Mr. Gopi K M, D. No. 2150, Red Wood, 2nd Stage, B.M. Kaval, Mychael Palya, Indira Nagar, Bangalore - 560 038.

Dear Sir/Madam, Re.: Your Credit facilities with Indian Overseas Bank, Bellary Branch

1. You, the above named borrowers of our bank have availed the following credit facilities from our **Bellary Branch.**
The details of credit facilities with outstanding dues are as under:

Sl. No.	Name of Account	Nature of Facility	Limit Lakhs	Rate of Interest (including overdue interest rests)	Last Interest Debit Date (Mandatory)	Total dues* as on 04.01.2016 (in Rs.) As per Court order dated 27.01.2018	Total dues as on 24.06.2025 (in Rs.)
1.	1. M/s. Vijaya Mining Company	CC-ETF	40.00	12.70	29.06.2019	71,59,264.50	2,37,03,567.25
2.	M/s. Vijaya Enterprises	CC-ETF	40.00	12.70	27.06.2016	72,14,245.50	2,38,85,603.53
		TOTAL	**80.00**			**1,43,73.510.00***	**4,75,89,170.78**

* The amount is due for payment of **Rs.1,43,73,510.00** as per Hon DRT-1, Bangalore Final Order dated **27.01.2018**, together interest there on at the rate **12.70%** with monthly rest from the date of application i.e. 04.01.2016 to till the date of realization of our entire dues,
The Above named guarantors referred under Sl. No. 3 & 4, have executed guarantee and thereby guaranteed payment on demand of all moneys and discharge all obligations and liabilities then or at any time thereafter owing or incurred to Indian Overseas Bank by the borrowers for the aggregate credit limits of Rs. 80,00,000.00 together with agreed interest, charges etc.
The credit facilities were secured by the assets mentioned below by way of mortgage / hypothecation/hire purchase / lease (as applicable) standing in the name of the borrower Nos. 1 & 2. They were also secured by mortgage of properties in the name of mortgagor/guarantor mentioned in Sl. No. 4.
The guarantors mentioned under Sl. Nos. 3 & 4 of you have given personal guarantee for the credit facilities as given above.
You have acknowledged from time to time the liabilities mentioned herein above through various documents executed by you.
2. The details of securities in favour of the Bank for the aforesaid credit facilities are:

Nature of Security	Particulars of Securities
Non Agri Cultural Land	All that Piece and Parcel of non Agri Cultural Land and Appurtenances there on situated at S no 185, Obalapuram Village, D Hirelal Mandal, Anantpur District Andra Pradesh admesuring 5.63 acres in name of **Mrs. Radha rani G W/o Mr. Gopi K M**

3. Consequent upon defaults committed by the above named borrowers in payment of the principal debt / interest as per agreed terms, loan account mentioned above have been classified as Non-Performing Asset on **30.11.2011** & **21.04.2011** for Sl. No. 1 & 2 respectively (date of classification as NPA) as per Reserve Bank of India guidelines and directives. Despite our reminders for regularization of your account, you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon. **4.** Since you the above named borrowers referred under Sl. Nos. 1, have failed to meet the liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by various securities mentioned above and upon classification of your account as a Non-Performing Asset, we hereby recall our advances to Sl. No.1 of you and give you notice under sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the bank aggregating to **Rs. 2,37,03,567.25** as on **24.06.2025** as detailed in para 1 above, with further interest **@12.70%** compounded with monthly/ half yearly as agreed, from the date mentioned above, within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice. **5.** Since you the above named borrowers referred under Sl. Nos. 2, have failed to meet the liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by various securities mentioned above and upon classification of your account as a Non-Performing Asset, we hereby recall our advances to Sl. No. 2 of you and give you notice under sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the bank aggregating to **Rs. 2,38,85,603.53** as on **24.06.2025** as detailed in para 1 above, with further interest **@12.70%** compounded with monthly/ half yearly as agreed, from the date mentioned above, within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice. **6.** The above named mortgagor / guarantor Nos 3 & 4, have given undertaking for repayment/guarantee for the credit facilities taken by the borrowers and have also mortgaged the properties herein mentioned to secure the above said credit facilities. Since the borrowers have committed defaults in repayment, the mortgagors/guarantors have become liable to pay to us in terms of the guarantee, the amounts due to the Bank as per the loan / credit facilities aggregating to **Rs. 4,75,89,170.78** as on **24.06.2025** together with further interest **@12.70%** compounded with monthly/ half yearly as agreed and we hereby invoke the guarantee against the mortgagors / guarantors who have given non-Agri securities enforceable under the SARFAESI Act namely 3 & 4,of you and call upon you to pay the said amount within sixty days from the date of receipt of this notice. Please be advised that the Guarantors liability is co-extensive with the liability of the borrowers. **7.** We further give notice to the borrowers namely 1 & 2 and mortgagors / guarantors who have given Non-Agri securities enforceable under the SARFAESI Act namely 3 & 4, that failing payment of the above amount in full with interest and charges etc till the date of payment, we shall be exercising all or any of the rights vested on us, under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act. **8.** Please note that in law the borrowers and guarantors are jointly and severally liable to repay the dues with further interest and charges etc. **9.** Please note that interest will continue to accrue at the rates and rests as agreed for each credit facility until full repayment. **10.** Your attention is also invited to sub-section (13) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are restrained from transferring/alienating/shifting any of the secured assets referred to above by way of sale, lease or otherwise, without obtaining our prior written consent. Please also note that non-compliance / contravention of the provisions contained in the said Act or Rules made thereunder, is an offence, which is punishable with imprisonment and/or fine as provided under section 29 of the Act. **11.** The guarantors referred under Sl. No. 3 & 4, have given personal guarantee to secure the loans of the said borrowers and as such we advise you to prevail upon the borrowers to repay the dues as per our demand since we have the right to initiate action against you simultaneously in accordance with law, for recovery of our dues based on your personal guarantee. **12.** We also put all of you on notice that if the account is not regularized/ repaid within the stipulated time and in case of the Bank classifying you as a willful defaulter as per RBI Guidelines, the Bank reserves its rights to publish your photograph in newspaper(s) with your name, address, details of default, dues etc., in accordance with RBI Guidelines besides initiating all recourses available to the Bank for recovery. **13.** We also advise you that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we have for recovery of the above said dues as well as our right to make further demands in respect of sums due and payable by you. **14.** Further, your attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to you, to redeem the secured assets.

Note : Please take notice that, our earlier notices issued under SARFAESI Act -2002 are stands withdrawn

Date: 11.08.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer,**
Place: Ballari **Indian Overseas Bank**

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POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, the Authorised Officer of **KARNATAKA BANK LIMITED,** under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **02.04.2024** there by calling upon the Borrower/s/ Mortgagor/s/ Guarantor/s/Co-obligant/s : **1. Srinivas S P** S/o Puttaswamy S K, No.24,2nd Main, 2nd Cross, Kanaka Layout, BSK 2nd Stage, Bengaluru -560070. **2. Mrs.Sheela Rani P** W/o Mr.Srinivas S P, No.24,2nd Main, 2nd Cross, Kanaka Layout, BSK 2nd Stage, Bengaluru -560070 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.1,11,99,928.66 (Rupees One Core Eleven Lakh Ninety Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Eight and Paisa Sixty Six Only) i.e. in respect of – Term Loan A/c No.9057001600033501 along with future interest from 17.02.2024 plus costs and Penal Charges within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.**

The Borrower/s/Mortgagor/s/Guarantor/s/Co-obligant/s having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the said persons and public in general that undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub (4) of Sec 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, on this **20th Day of September of the Year 2025**

The Borrower/s/Mortgagor/s/Guarantor/s/Co-obligant/s in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the below mentioned schedule mortgaged property and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge of **Karnataka Bank Limited, Bidadi Branch for the amount of Rs.1,01,40,904.56(Rupees One Crore One Lakh Forty Thousand Nine Hundred Four and Paisa Fifty Six Only) in respect of - Term Loan A/c No.9057001600033501 (i.e, amount due as on date along with future interest from 19.09.2025 and Penal Charges and costs).**

[The Borrower/s/Mortgagor/s/Guarantor/s/ Co-obligant/s attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.]

Description of the Immovable Property

Item No.1: All that part and parcel of the Site No.12, carved out of Survey No.58/2,Katha No.494/279/12, measuring 1550 Sq.ft situated at "Kempu Peacock" Layout,Kethiganahalli Village, Bidadi Hobli,Ramanagara District **belonging to Mr.Srinivas S P**. Bounded By: East: Sy.No.03, West: Site No13, North: Road, South: Site No.45.

Item No.2: All that part and parcel of the Site No.25, carved out of Survey No.51/1, Katha No.507/279/25, measuring 1500 Sq.ft situated at "Kempu Peacock" Layout,Kethiganahalli Village, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagara District **belonging to Mr. Srinivas S P.** Bounded By: East: Sy.No.24, West: Site No.26, North: Road, South: Site No.32.

Item No.3: All that part and parcel of the Site No.63, carved out of Survey No.51/1 and 51/3, Katha No.545/279/63, measuring 1200 Sq.ft situated at "Kempu Peacock" Layout,Kethiganahalli Village, Bidadi Hobli,Ramanagara District **belonging to Mr.Srinivas S P.** Bounded By: East: Site No.62, West: Site No.64, North: Road, South: Site No.66.

Item No.4: All that part and parcel of the Site No.64, carved out of Survey No.51/3 and 51/1, Katha No.546/279/64, measuring 861 Sq.ft situated at "Kempu Peacock" Layout,Kethiganahalli Village, Bidadi Hobli,Ramanagara District **belonging to Mr.Srinivas S P.** Bounded By: East: Site No.63, West:Site No.48, North:Road, South: Site No.65.

Place: Bidadi Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorised Officer
Date: 20.09.2025 For Karnataka Bank Ltd.,

RAIL COACH FACTORY, KAPURTHALA

On-line bids are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

Sr. No.	Tender No. and Due Date	Description	Quantity (Nos./Sets/ Cum/MTR)	EMD (Rs.)
1.	17231508A 17/10/2025	FRP MODULAR TOILET (PRE ASSEMBLED) FOR LHB GS (455 LITRE) WITH VACUUM BAGGING/VARTAM PROCESS COMPLYING TO HL3 AS PER EN 45545-2.	200.00 Set	20,00,000/-
		FRP MODULAR TOILET (PRE ASSEMBLED) FOR LHB SCN COACHES WITH VACUUM BAGGING PROCESS VARTM PROCESS COMPLYING TO HL3 AS PER EN 45545-2.	200.00 Set	
		FRP MOOULAR TOILET (PRE ASSEMBLED) FOR LHB AC 3TIER COACHES WITH VACUUM BAGGING PROCESS/VARTM PROCESS COMPLYING TO HL3 AS PER EN 45545-2.	100.00 Set	
2.	05251662 17/10/2025	SET OF PARTITION FRAMES	53 Set	90,800/-
3.	17251612 30/10/2025	SET OF FRP SIDEWALL PANEL FOR LHB GS COACHES WITH VACUUM BAGGING/VARTM/SMC PROCESS COMPLYING TO HL-3	105 Sets	20,00,000/-
		SET OF FRP CEILING PANELS FOR LHB GS COACHES WITH VACUUM BAGGING/VARTM/ SMC PROCESS COMPLYING TO HL-3	122 Sets	
		SET OF CEILING SHEET FOR LHB SCN COACHES WITH VACUUM BAGGING/VARTM/SMC PROCESS COMPLYING TO HL-3	105 Sets	
		SET OF FRP SIDE WALL PANELS FOR LHB SCN COACHES WITH VACUUM BAGGING/VARTM/SMC PROCESS COMPLYING TO HL-3	105 Sets	
4.	17251425 28/11/2025	ONE RAKE SET OF ABSORPTION STRIP WITH FIXING STRIP FOR VANDE BHARAT COACHES	9 Sets	3,92,940/-
5.	17251599 27/10/2025	SET OF FRP SIDE WALL PANELS FOR LHB AC HOT BUFFET HIGH HEATIING CAPACITY COACHES,	27 Sets	3,01,370/-
		SET OF FRP CEILING SHEET ASSEMBLIES FOR LHB AC HOT BUFFET HIGH HEATING CAPACITY COACHES,	56 Sets	
6.	17251512 13/10/2025	SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF SET OF FRP MODULAR TOILET FOR AMRIT BHARAT PANTRY COACHES	45 Sets	50,00,000/-
		SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF SET OF FRP MODULAR TOILET FOR AMRIT BHARAT SLRD COACHES.	62 Sets	
		SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF SET OF FRP, MODULAR TOILET FOR AMRIT BHARAT SCN/GS COACHES.	590 Sets	
7.	05251789 29/10/2025	END WALL ASSEMBLY FOR LHB GS & SCN (**PL No. A:** 33552216, **PL No. B:** 33552230)	A) 810 Nos B) 21 Set	18,61,260/-
8.	05251661 16/10/2025	FRAME ARRANGMENT OF NOSE CONE	32 Nos	5,81,500/-
9.	05251813 10/10/2025	INTEGRATED WTCC FOR LHB SLRD AMRIT BHARAT	38 Set	1,13,000/-
10.	05251698 15/10/2025	BODY SIDE SLIDING DOOR	1531 Set	20,00,000/-
11.	17251128A 10/10/2025	AUTOMATIC SMOKE/FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM FOR STAND-ALONE IN LHB AC SLEEPER COACHES.	159 Set	13,82,880/-
		AUTOMATIC SMOKE/FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM FOR STAND-ALONE IN LHB AC CHAIR CAR.	106 Set	
12.	05251817 31/10/2025	SET OF SIDE WALL COMPLETE & ROOF COMPLETE FOR LHB AMRIT BHARAT COACHES (**PL No. A:** 33552149, **PL No. B:** 33552198, **PL No. C:** 33552204)	A) 136 Set B) 147 Nos C) 24 Set	20,00,000/-
13.	05251579A 30/10/2025	SET OF SIDE WALL & ROOF ASSLY FOR LHB (**PL No. A:** 33559650, **PL No. B:** 33559661)	A) 100 Set B) 127 Set	20,00,000/-
14.	02251445 13/10/2025	HARNESS OF UNDERFRAME AND ROOF ARRANGEMENT FOR LHB EOG NON AC LGS COACHES WITH CENTRALISED FDB IN DOORWAY AREA.	NIL	10,82,380/-
15.	05251612 15/10/2025	SET OF COUPLERS	11 Set	20,00,000/-
16.	05251673 17/10/2025	SET OF FRAME FOR LHB POWER CAR COACHES	166 Set	1,52,790/-
17.	02251444 13/10/2025	HARNESS OF UNDER FRAME AND ROOF ARRANGEMENT FOR LHB EOG SLRD NON AC COACHES FOR AMRIT BHARAT RAKE.	NIL	4,47,650/-

1. For details and making On-line bids, visit **Website http://ireps.gov.in** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in. Class III-b digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in., 2.**Tenders will close at **14.25 HRS.** on due date and Tender will be opened at **14.30 HRS at RCF Kapurthala, All Tender will be opened at RCF Kapurthala, 3.** For querries, contact IREPS Helpdesk at **011-24102855,011-24105180 or RCF helpdesk at 011-23378658.**

PCMM

CORRIGENDUM

1) Tender No.: 05251631, **Description:** Fully assembled shell for Narrow Gauge coaches, Due Date to be read as **"26/09/25"** instead of **"17/09/25", 2) Tender No.:** 14251077, Due Date to be read as **"29/09/2025"** instead of **"19/09/2025", 3) Tender No.:** 01251253, **Description:** Dampers for LHB coaches (5 Types), Due Date to be read as **"30/09/2025"** instead of **"16/09/2025"**

PCMM

No. 80-S/2025-26 **Date: 22.09.2025**

Executive Engineer,
Panchayat Raj Engineering Division, Belagavi

Tender Invited (E-Procurement)

Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Engineering Division, Belagavi hereby invited tender from Registered Contractors for the Item rates throughkpppPortal. There are total 2 (16847/Call-3, 16813) work have been called, Standard of tender documents KW-3 for price of Hightest and Lowest Estimated Cost Rs. 100.00 Lakhs and Rs. 80.00 Lakh respectively and also Hightest and Lowest EMD has As Per Eprocurement for each work. The last date for Submission of any **Quarries is 29-09-2025 17:28 PM,** the last date for submission of tender bid is on **29-09-2025 17:28 PM.** Opening of technical bid is on **03-10-2025 11-00 AM** and Expected Financial bid will be opened on **03-10-2025 11:30 AM.** For any other information/ clarifications please contact the below signed office, and also search internet forkppp-Portal website **http://kppp-proc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
P. R. E. Division, Belagavi.

DIPO/BGM/RONO.1075/25-26

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER (HEALTH & EDUCATION)
PW(H&E) DEPTT., CHANDMARI: GUWAHATI-3

No. CE/TB-IV(H&E)/107/2025/04

PRESS NOTICE (RE-TENDER)

In continuation to the tender cancellation notice vide no. CE/TB-IV(H&E)/107/2025/03 Dated Guwahati the 22nd September' 2025 for the work, **"Construction of KGBV (Type-II) building at Gumafulbari EBB in Barpeta District"**, the **Chief Engineer (Health & Education), P.W. (H&E) Deptt., Chandmari, Guwahati-3** on behalf of the Governor of Assam, again re-invites fresh bid from eligible contractors having experience in similar nature of works.

Details of the bid may be seen at e-procurement website i.e. www.assamtenders.gov.in.

The bidders must be enrolled with e-tendering web-portal www.assamtenders.gov.in.

All terms and conditions will be as per the Bidding Documents. The Press Notice will be a part of the Bidding Documents.

Sl. No.	Name of work/Package	Bid Value (Rs in Lakhs)	Completion Period	Bid Security	Cost of Bid
1	Construction of KGBV (Type-II) building at Gumafulbari EBB in Barpeta District	Rs. 603.04275	24 (Twenty-Four) months	2% of Bid value for General, 1% of Bid Value for Reserve category	Rs. 12,750.00

The Bid price may vary at the time of detail tendering for which no claim will be admissible.
The Work will be allotted only after receiving Government approval.

DIPR/C/NIXP-448/23-Sep-25

Chief Engineer (Health & Education),
PW(H&E) Deptt., Chandmari, Guwahati-3

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(ଓଡ଼ିଶା ସରକାରଙ୍କ ଏକ ଉପକ୍ରମ)

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NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

Bids are invited from reputed bidders for the following tenders:

E-Tender No.	Tender Description:	Estimated Cost
CPC-15/2025-26	Design, Engineering, Supply, Erection, Testing & Commissioning of 132kV S/C Line(3 Phase / 3 conductor) on DC towers from existing 132/33kV Grid S/s, Tirtol to proposed RTSS, Gorekhnath along with 01 no. of 132kV bay extensions at 132/33kV Grid S/s, Tirtol (Line Length=15.074 KM Approx.) for power supply to Gorekhnath RTSS in Jagatsinghpur District on EPC contract basis.	Rs. 15,40,21,309/-
CGM(Tel)-04/2025-26	Supply, Testing and commissioning of 37 no. of RTUs with retrofitting by replacing the existing RTUs at different Grid S/s of OPTCL on turnkey contract basis.	Rs. 2,14,80,720/-

Complete set of bidding documents are available at **www.optcl.co.in**.

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AHAM HOUSING FINANCE LTD

Registered & Corporate Office: G-129, Phase-III, Spencer Plaza, Anna Salai, Chennai-600 002. NHB Reg.No.06.0181.19, website Address: www.ahamhfc.com/
email-id: compliance@ahamhfc.com, Tel: 044-40062651 CIN: U65922TN2017PTC2153589

(See rule 8(1)) POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Ref: Loan Account No. KA/MYR/MYSR/000000001

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorised officer of the **M/s. Aham Housing Finance Ltd** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of the Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 read with rule 3 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued **Demand Notice dated 12.06.2025** calling upon the Borrowers, **1. Mr.M.R.Lokesh (Borrower) S/o.Ramasamy and 2. Mrs.Veena.S J (Co-Borrower), W/o.M.R.Lokesh, Both are residing at:** 15/16A, 6th Main, 7th Cross, Saraswathi Puram, Mysore, Karnataka-570009 to repay the amount mentioned in this Notice being **Rs.14,81,482/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Eighty One Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty Two Only)** as on **11.05.2025** along with further interest at the contractual rate within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower's having failed to discharge their liabilities in full, notice is hereby given to them in particular and public in general, that the under signed being the authorized officer has taken the **SYMBOLIC POSSESSION** of the property described herein below, under Sec. 13(4) of the said [Act], read with Rule 9 of the said rules on this **18th day of September 2025.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not a deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of the M/s.Aham Housing Finance Limited for the amount of **Rs. 14,81,482/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Eighty One Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty Two Only)** as on **11.05.2025** along with further interest and other costs, charges and expenses.

The Borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of the sub section 8 of Sec 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem to the secured assets.

Schedule of Property, Description of the Immovable Property : All that piece and parcel of Immovable Residential Property bearing Site No.19, Assessment No.243, Old Khatha No.243/442/B-19, BBMP Khatha No.442/B-19 situated at Patel Layout, Beguru Vellage, Beguru Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, measuring EW: 40 Feet, NS: 15 Feet and Bounded as follows: East by: Property bearing site No.32, West by: Road, North by: Property bearing site No.18, South by: Southern Portion of site No.19 belongs to Yerebasappa.

"It is informed that "Aham Housing Finance Pvt Ltd" which was originally incorporated on 21.11.2017 Subsequently the name of "Aham Housing Finance Pvt Ltd" was changed as "Aham Housing Finance Ltd" with effect from 28.11.2024 vide Certificate of Incorporation pursuant to change of name dated 29-11-2024."

Date: 19.09.2025 **Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **Aham Housing Finance Ltd**

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
ZILLA PANCHAYATH, BELLARY
Office of the Executive Engineer, P.R.E. Division, Bellary.

No. EE/PRED/BLY/AE-1/Various Heads/2025-26/1032
Dt. 20-09-2025.

Short Tender Notification (Through KPPP Portal only)

On behalf of Hon'ble Governor of Karnataka tenders are invited from the eligible contractors who have enrolled in Panchayath Raj Engineering Department for 05 works comprising of approved Building works under 2024-25 KKRDB, 2023-24 MLC, 2024-25 CM Spl Grant and 2024-25 Flood 5054 through KPPP portal.

Indent No.

1.RDPR/2025-26/IND11062/Call-2
2.RDPR/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT17607/CALL-3
3.RDPR/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT18157/Call-2
4.RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT18295/Call-2
5.RDPR/2025-26/IND10790/Call-2

Contractors are required to submit the tender before 29-09-2025 at 4.30 PM by uploading the relevant documents through KPPP portal website https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in by downloading the formats for submission of tenders from 20-09-2025 to 29-09-2025 at 4.30 PM. Tenders will be opened through KPPP portal on 30-09-2025 at 17.30 PM. Any changes in the notification will be published KPPP website only. Accepting/rejection of tenders without assigning reason is reserved. Any details can be obtained in person at the office or through telephone No. 08392-266173.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Panchayath Raj Engineering Division Ballari

DIPR/Ballari/472/KSMCA/2025-26

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)
Head Office : Bangalore

E-AUCTION Sale of Properties on 16.10.2025
Last date of EMD : 15.10.2025

ARM – 2 Branch, 2nd Floor, No. 86, Spencers Tower, M.g. Road, Bangalore – 560001. Ph No. : 080-25310181 E-Mail – cb6298@canarabank.com

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described imovable propeties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical/Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM Branch-2,** Bengaluru of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **16.10.2025 at 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM,** through E-Auction under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

For details with regard to E-Auction & digital signature please contact the service provider **M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited, Helpdesk Number : 8291220220, Website: https://baanknet.com/**

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of E-Wallet of **M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **15.10.2025.**

(Rs. in lacs)

Sl.No.	Name and address of the Borrower / Guarantor / Mortgagor	Description of the immovable assets	Total Dues Possession Type	a. Reserve Price b. EMD c. Incremental Bid
1.	**1. M/s Om Shree Gyana Jyothi Education Society** **2.Mr. Shivappa A S S/o Late Shiva Nanjappa** **3. Sri Raveesha S S/o Shivappa A S** **4. Smt. Rathamma W/o Shivappa A S** **5.Sri Sundaresh S S/o Shivappa A S** **All Are At :** Alanahalli, H D Kote Taluk , Mysore District-571114.	All the aprt and parcel of the property Panchayath Janjar No. 437, Unique No. 15220010010040047 3/437, Alanahalli Village, Hampapura Hobli, H D Kote Taluk, Mysuru District Measuring East to West: 26+50+6 mtrs, North to South: 66.5+14+33.4 mtrs, Bounded on:**East by:** Mr. A S Shivappas and Mr. Nagappas Remaining Land,**West by:** Grama Thanna and Mr. Somannas Land , **North by:** Sarakari Ooni and Mr. Shivappas Property And **South by:** Mr. Kempegowdas land and Mysuru Gadige Road.	**Rs. 2,44,51,532.28** as on **19.09.2025** plus further interest and cost thereon	a) ₹ 116.42 b) ₹ 11.64 c) ₹ 1,00,000/-
2.	**1. M/s TINTO GOLD MINING A Partnership Firm** Regd.Office: CH-29, 7th Main, 5th Cross, Saraswathipuram,Mysore - 570009. **2.Mr. ABHISHEK S MANEGAR S/O Subbappa** **3. Mr SUBBAPPA** **All Are At :** Ch 29 Deshika, 7th Main 5th Cross H Block,Ramakrishna Nagar , Saraswathipuram , Mysore – 570009.	Industrial land (freehold) measuring 2753.39 sq mtrs and building with plinth area of 800 sft at Jenjer no.152200503114020215, Property no.337/238, Hebya village & Adakanahalli Village, Chikkaiahna Chathra Hobli, Thandavapura, Nanjangud Taluk, Mysuru, bounded on the **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No 152 , **North by :** Site No 8 and South by Buffer Zone. **Owner of the Property: Mr.Abhishek S Manager**	**Rs. 3,10,47,949.86** as on **19.09.2025** plus further interest and cost thereon	a) ₹ 155.00 b) ₹ 15.50 c) ₹ 1,00,000/-
		Industrial land (freehold) measuring 5043.80 sqmtrs at Jenjer no. 152200503114020219, Property no.333/234, Hebya village & Adakanahalli Village, Chikkaiahna Chathra Hobli, Thandavapura, Nanjangud Taluk, Mysuru Dist. Bounded on the **East by :** Land Sy no 150/3,157/3, **West by :** Land sy no.150/1, 157/1, **North by :** Halla, **South by :** Road. **Owner of the Property: Mr. Abhishek S Manager**		a) ₹ 284.00 b) ₹ 28.40 c) ₹ 1,00,000/-
		Industrial land (freehold) measuring 4488.85 sqmtrs at Jenjer no. 152200503114020220, Property no.334/235, Hebya village & Adakanahalli Village Chikkaiahna Chathra Hobli, Thandavapura, Nanjangud Taluk, Mysuru Dist. Bounded **East by :** Road, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Land Sy no 148 , And **South by :** Site no 3. **Owner of the Property: Mr. Abhishek S Manager**		a) ₹ 252.00 b) ₹ 25.20 c) ₹ 1,00,000/-
3.	**1. GA Doors and More** Ground Floor, No 67/5, RK Reddy Industrial Estate, Lakshmipura,Vidyaranyapura Post, Bengaluru-560097. **2.Mr. Bharath Kumar G S/o K Ganesh** No 22 Byraveshwara Nagara , Shettihalli,Bengaluru -560015 **3. Mr. Thulasi Nayak S/o Late Rama Nayak** Basaveshwara Nagar , Kanakapura,Ramanagara Post- 562117 **4.Mr. Bharath Kumar G** No 22, Kotishwari Nilaya, Anjanadhri Layout, 7th cross, Shettihalli, Jalahalli West, Benagaluru-560015.	**Property No.1 :** All that piece and parcel of the property being 3 BHK Apartment bearing No A-901, on the 9th floor vide Kaatha no. 6513062666 in the Apartment known as "Pragathi Amber" situated in Ananth Nagar, Electronic City, Bengaluru-560100 constructed in Composite Property, having a super built up area of 1560 Sq.ft.(which is inclusive of the common walls between the apartments and proportionate share in the common areas)and with 2 Covered Car Parking Space in Basement/ Ground Floor and bounded by : **East By:** Lift Lobby, **West by**: Open Space, **North by** : Open Space, **South by**: Corridor.	**Rs. 2,26,96,072.30** as on **19.09.2025** plus further interest and cost thereon	a) ₹ 75.60 b) ₹ 7,56,000 c) ₹ 1,00,000/-
		Property No.2 : All that piece and parcel of the property being 3 BHK Apartment bearing No A-1101, on the 11th floor vide Kaatha no. 7235091858 in the building known as "Pragathi Amber" situated in Ananth Nagar, Electronic City, Bengaluru-560100 constructed in Composite Property, having a super built up area of 1560 Sq.ft.(which is inclusive of the common walls between the apartments and proportionate share in the common areas)and with 2 Covered Car Parking Space in Basement/ Ground Floor and bounded by : **East By:** Lift Lobby, **West by:** Open Space, **North by** : Open Space, **South by:** Corridor.		a) ₹ 75.60 b) ₹ 7,56,000 c) ₹ 1,00,000/-

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.canarabank.com/english/announcements/sale-notice/karnataka/ provided on the Secured Creditors' Website i.e www.canarabank.com. or may contact Chief Manager, ARM Branch II Bangalore, Canara Bank, Ph. No.,9113092975,8921102717,9201460154,9483544116,8709675503 and 080-25310181, during office hours on any working day.

Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer,**
Date : 23.09.2025 **Canara Bank**

Canara Bank
A Government of India Undertaking

ARM Branch– II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No.86, M G Road, Bengaluru-560001.
Telephone numbers 080-25310181 – e-mail – cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)
E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described Immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM-2 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 16.10.2025, 01:00 pm to 03.00 pm . [with unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of sale],** through E-Auction under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **15.10.2025**

Sl. No.	Borrower Name/ Description of the movable / immovable assets	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Details and Full Description of the Property	Reserve Price & EMD	Incremental value at the Bid
1.	**(1) Sri. Sayed Ibrahim Farhan,** S/o Sayed Hussain Barmavar, No. 15, Ground Floor, 3rd Cross, Kanakanagar RT Nagar, Bengaluru 560032 **(2) Also at: Sri. Sayed Ibrahim Farhan,** No.64, Jamia Street, Bhatkal, Karnataka 581320. **(3) Smt.Jumana** W/o Sayed Ibrahim Farhan No. 15, Ground Floor, 3rd Cross, Kanakanagar, RT Nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560032 **(4) Also at: Smt.Jumana Haneefabad** 1st Cross, Bhatkal Karnataka 581320	**Rs. 2,43,62,195.77 (Rupees Two Crore Forty Three Lakhs Sixty Two Thousand One Hundred Ninety Five and Seventy Sevan Paisa only) as on 19.09.2025 plus further interest thereon and other expenses**	**Property No.1 (Villa):** All the piece and parcel of the immovable portion of property bearing Villa No.46, E Khatha No.150200102300122861-1500/46 in gated layout MANAR PURE EARTH, carved out of Sy No.7/1, Sarjapura Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore. Total extent of plot 108 Sq Mts and Bounded on: East by: Site No.69, West by: Road, North by: Site No.47, South by: Site No.45.	**Reserve Price Rs. 51.50 Lakhs EMD Rs.5,15.000/-**	**Rs. 50,000/-**
			Property No.2 (Flat): All that piece and parcel of the immovable portion of property bearing Flat No FF-3, Fourth Floor, B Block, "S2 Water Homes The Water Grove", Ananthnanagar to Kammasandra Road, Kammasandra Post, Phase 1, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, measuring 2171 Sqft and bounded on: East by: Flat No .FF 4, West by: Flat No.FF 2, North by: Open Space, South by: Corridor.	**Reserve Price Rs. 79.94 Lakhs EMD: Rs.7,99,400/-**	
2.	**(1) The Managing Director M/s Technospark Industries India Pvt Ltd,** 1341, Kavalbyrasandra, R T Nagar Post, (Near DR.Ambedkar Medical College), Bengaluru-560032 Karnataka, **Also at :** Plot No. 178-A2 & 179-A, KIADB Industrial Area, Vasanthanarasapura 1st Phase, Nagenahalli Post, Kora Hobli, Tumkur – 572 128 **(2) Mr Mohan Suresh** (Managing Director and Guarantor) Flat No 604, Block No.E-2, Unit No.WH-87, VI Floor, Sri Ram White House, VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bengaluru 560 032 **Also at :** A 1501, Vaishnavi Terrace, Dollars Colony, JP Nagar 4th Phase, Bengaluru 560 078, Karnataka **(3) Mrs. Surekha Suresh (Director and Guarantor),** Flat No 604, Block No.E-2, Unit No.WH-87, VI Floor, Sri Ram White House , VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bengaluru 560 032 **Also at :** A 1501, Vaishnavi Terrace, Dollars Colony, JP Nagar 4th Phase, Bengaluru 560 078, Karnataka. **(4) Mr M Sanjeev (Guarantor)** No 359, 17th A Cross, 26th Main Road, J P Nagar 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078	**Rs. 35,93,02,933.32 (Rupees Thirty Five Crore ninety three lakhs two thousand nine hundred thirty three and Thirty Two Paise only) as on 25.08.2025 plus further interest thereon and other expenses**	All that piece and parcel of land and building existing and / or to be constructed there on in Sri Ram White House Apartment Complex House No WH-37, in Block AIII on the fifth floor, Apartment No 501, Survey No 37 located at VI Main, 15th cross, R T Nagar, Bangalore-32, together with easementary and appurtments thereto in the name of Mrs. Surekha Suresh and Mr. Mohan Suresh, and bounded as follows:- East by- Storm Water drain : West by BDA Road, North by Remaining portion of Property bearing Sy No 37, pertaining to White House Project, South by Private Property.	**Reserve Price Rs. 1,52,00,000/- EMD Rs.15,20,000/-**	**Rs. 2,00,000/-**
			(1) All that piece and parcel of property Flat Number 1 in the name of Mr. Mohan Suresh situated on the ground floor of the multistoried building known as 'FAMILY YMCA" constructed in the property bearing No 57/4, PID No 92-30-57/4 situated at Miller Road within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division No 47) measuring super built up area of 1430 square feet in Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and bounded as follows; East- Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road, West- Premises No 56 of Millers Road, North- Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road, South- Miller Road and Premises No 56, Miller Road (in between Cantonment Railway Station under bridge and St. Johns Church). (2) All that piece and parcel of property Flat Number 2 in the name of Mr. Mohan Suresh situated on the first floor of the multistoried building known as "FAMILY YMCA" constructed in the property bearing No 57/5, PID No 92-30-57/5 situated at Miller Road within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division No 47) measuring super built up area of 1430 square feet in Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and bounded as follows; East- Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road, West- Premises No 56 of Millers Road, North- Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road, South- Millers Road and Premises No 56, Millers Road (in between Cantonment Railway Station under bridge and St. Johns Church.) (3) All that piece and parcel of property Flat Number 3 in the name of Mr. Mohan Suresh situated on the second floor of the multistoried building known as 'FAMILY YMCA" constructed in the property bearing No 57/6, PID No 92-30-57/6 situated at Miller Road within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division No 47) measuring super built up area of 1430 square feet in Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and bounded as follows; East- Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road, West- Premises No 56 of Millers Road, North- Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road, South- Millers Road and Premises No 56, Millers Road (in between Cantonment Railway Station under bridge and St. Johns Church).	**Reserve Price Rs. Rs.3,96,00,000/- EMD Rs.39,60,000/-**	
			All that piece and parcel of property Flat Number 4, in the name of M/s Technospark Industries India Private Ltd, in the 3rd floor, admeasuring Super Built up area of 1430 square feet and 100 square feet land in the back yard to erect lift in the multistoried building known as "Family YMCA" constructed in the property bearing Muncipal No 57, PID No 92-30-57, situated at Millers Road, within the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No 92 (old Corporation Division number 47) Bangalore along with 286 square feet undivided share and bounded as follows; East- Premises Number 1 & 1/1, Bore Bank Road & site nos 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/5 and 1/6, Bore Bank Road, West- Premises No 56 of Millers Road, Premises No 38/B, 38/K, 38/J, 38/G, 38/H and Millers Road, , the last four premises situated on the New Road Running near premises number 38/B, Benson Cross and Cottage Belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, North- Premises No 3 Bore Bank Road & Cottage belonging to Mr.Abdul Wajid and another, South- Millers Road and Premises No 56, Millers Road.	**Reserve Price Rs. Rs.1,29,00,000/- EMD Rs.12,90,000/-**	
			Property No.152500900601920013, Plot No. 178-A2 & 179-A, Sy. No.50, Khata No. 37/37/178/A2/179/A, Vasanthanarasapura Induatrial Area, Nagenahalli village, Kora Hobli, Tumkur, North : Plot No 178 A1 and 178 B, South : Plot No. 179 C, East : 18 metre wide road no 20, West : Parking	**Reserve Price Rs. Rs.7,16,00,000/- EMD Rs.71,60,000/-**	

OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS : (a) Auction / bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website **https://baanknet.com/** Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings. **(b)** The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer. **(c)** The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process. **(d)** EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of **M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (BAANKNET)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan. **(e)** After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before **15.10.2025,** to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand OR Email. **(i)** Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT Acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No. **(ii)** Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount. **(iii)** Bid Form. The intending bidders should register their names at portal **https://baanknet.com/** and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider, **M/s.PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) - e- mail: support.baanknet@psballiance.com.** EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD shall not carry any interest. **(f)** Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiplies of **Property No.1 - Rs.50,000/-& Property No.2- Rs. 2,00,000/-** The bidder who submits the highest bid (not below the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor. **(g)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again. This amount shall be deposited by way of Demand draft in favour of Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, ARM II Branch OR shall be deposited through RTGS / NEFT / Fund Transfer to credit of account of **Canara Bank, ARM II Branch, A/c. No. 209272434, IFSC Code: CNRB0006298.(h)** For sale proceeds of **Rs.50.00 Lakhs (Rupees Fifty lacs) and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at a rate 1% or as applicable on the sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the bank. (i)** All charges for Conveyance, Stamp Duty/GST/Registration Charges etc. As applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only. **(j)** Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the E-auction without assigning any reason thereof. **(k)** In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the E-auction, they can approach **Canara Bank Circle office, Bengaluru or Canara Bank ARM II Branch, Bengaluru,** who as a facilitating centre shall make necessary arrangements. **(l)** Bidder has to make due diligence and physical verification of property with regard to title, extent, area dues, etc. No claim subsequent to submission of bid shall be entertained by the bank.

For further details contact Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, ARM Branch-2- (9113092975, 8921102717, 9201460154, 9483544116, 8709675503 and 080-25310181) e-mail id – cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) - e- mail: support.BAANKNET@psballiance.com

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION / CAUTION

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/alternatives such as back –up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully.

Date : 20.09.2025 **Sd/- Authorised officer**
Place: Bangalore **Canara Bank**

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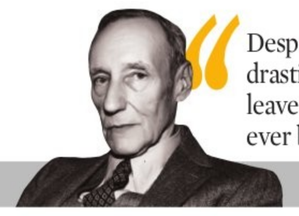

"Desperation is the raw material of drastic change. Only those who can leave behind everything they have ever believed in can hope to escape"

William Burroughs

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— Ramnath Goenka

BAGRAM DEMAND MAY SHOW LIMITS OF TRUMP'S COERCIVE DIPLOMACY

US President Donald Trump recently revealed that the Bagram airbase in Afghanistan was on his wishlist of strategically significant territories he wanted control over. While Greenland and the Panama Canal were part of his pre-election rhetoric, the desire to retake Bagram was articulated just a few days ago. Trump wanted the Panama Canal for 'economic security', alleging it had been 'ceded' to China. The crisis blew over after Panama decided not to renew its contract with a Hong Kong company that was operating the ports. On the flip side, Greenland refused to budge.

As for Bagram, the Biden administration vacated it along with the rest of the country in a chaotic pullout in 2021, two decades after the American invasion of Afghanistan. The Taliban overran the weak elected government even before the US exit. Trump considers Biden's full troop withdrawal a strategic blunder. But he misses the point that American troops would have been sitting ducks in Bagram had they stayed put during the coup by the Taliban and other fighters. The US is currently negotiating a prisoner and hostage swap deal with the Taliban. If clinched, the deal could potentially set the pace for talks on using the Bagram base for joint counterterrorism efforts, Zalmay Khalilzad, former US special representative for Afghanistan, recently indicated.

Khalilzad's diplomatic articulation contrasted with Trump's crude declaration that Bagram must be returned to those who built it; he made the same argument on the Panama Canal. Located 50 km north of Kabul, the Bagram airbase is a short distance away from China and holds immense strategic value. Interestingly, Trump's statement came at a time when the Taliban regime approved a draft policy on the export of minerals, including rare earths. Though he cited China, chances are he wants control over Bagram for security cover to import critical minerals from Afghanistan and neighbouring Pakistan. His threat of "bad things" happening to Afghanistan if it failed to yield was yet another marker of his authoritarian streak, which recently included the cancellation of comedy shows back home. Predictably, the Taliban refused to be bullied and China supported Afghanistan's sovereign right to make its own call. The Taliban has better ties with Russia and China than Uncle Sam. Coercive diplomacy clearly has its limits.

ODISHA MUST EXPAND ITS TIGER PAW-PRINT

THE photograph of a melanistic tiger cub from Odisha's Similipal Tiger Reserve triggered a wave of jubilation last week. From top political leaders to forest officers, there was a flood of congratulatory messages. The reason was that the young tiger with a striking dark pelt adorned the cover of an international wildlife magazine—a feature rare for this part of the country. However, pseudomelanistic tigers are not rare, thanks to the mutation of a particular gene. Over 30 years back, L A K Singh, a state research officer, had officially documented what is colloquially called a black tiger. Half a decade ago, a team headed by scientists from Bengaluru's National Centre for Biological Sciences decoded the gene responsible for the anomalous phenotype.

So was the celebration over-the-top? Not exactly, because it shines the spotlight on the state's big fauna on a big stage. However, the big picture must not be missed. The mutation could be caused by the isolated nature of the tiger population in Similipal, one of India's earliest reserves notified way back in 1973. It points to excessive inbreeding and lack of genetic diversity. Much of it was elucidated in the research that called for 'genetic rescue'—the reason the National Tiger Conservation Authority suggested bringing over tigers from other parts to Similipal. Last year, the government enumerated 30 tigers in the state—27 were from Similipal, of which 13 were pseudomelanistic.

A healthy tiger population is not just good news for the forest ecosystem; it also drives tourism. In central, western and northern states, tigers have brought in waves of ecotourism activities. Odisha for long missed the bus because of its unimpressive count and reluctance to experiment. After being nudged by the authority, the state translocated two females from the Tadoba-Andhari reserve. More such actions must be taken up. At present, Odisha has two notified reserves with Satkosia devoid of tigers, having suffered a failed reintroduction in 2018. No new reserve has been added in the last 18 years. The Sunabeda sanctuary was given in-principle consent by the Centre in 2008, but its fate hangs in balance. Another proposal to develop Debrigarh sanctuary in western Odisha should be fast-tracked. Instead of basking in melanistic glory, the government must go for experiments. Tiger supplementation involves risk, but it's one worth taking.

QUICK TAKE

WATER AS A BRIDGE

AN honour is often an excuse to celebrate good work on a vital issue that otherwise would miss the attention it deserves. Pune-based scientist Himanshu Kulkarni becoming the first South Asian recipient of the University of Oklahoma's biennial International Water Prize is one such occasion. Kulkarni, a hydrogeologist who co-founded the Advanced Centre for Water Resources Development and Management and teaches at IIT Bombay and Shiv Nadar University, has worked for more than three decades on bridging the gap between communities and aquifers to manage groundwater. In a country where Dalits are often beaten for accessing water sources marked for higher castes, engagement of whole communities in managing water resources could be an essential tool for progress.

After stiff tariffs on goods, Trump's H-1B bomb is a levy on Indian service exports. If American firms can't bring over the people they need, they should go where the expertise is

BUSINESS CAN GO TO TALENT WHEN TALENT WON'T COME TO IT

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THE week gone by ended with a bang. President Donald Trump decided to impose a stiff $1,00,000 fee for H-1B visa applicants. This move, in the wake of the 50 percent tariff that was imposed on Indian exports to the US just recently, seemed to be a double whammy of sorts. The good part: the White House seemed determined to ensure that American jobs were secure. The bad part: the American dream of many a young Indian wanting to make a career in the US seemed a bit shaken, if not stirred and decimated altogether.

There was chaos for an entire day. Amid the confusion of understanding the fine print of the presidential order, companies sent out advisories to their employees to return to the US immediately by September 21 to avoid the risk of not being allowed to re-enter. Social media videos of those just about leaving US airports wanting to de-board out of sheer fright made the news. There was panic and uncertainty in the air. The US had dropped the H-bomb—the H-1B visa bomb. The American dream could not be taken for granted. The times were uncertain.

The US administration clarified quite quickly in a day that existing visa holders need not worry. That was calming for those with a visa on hand. Only those who sought new visas and those that came up for the next round of lottery were the ones who would have a big fee to pay. Companies bringing in overseas resources to work in the US were being told to bring in only high-value-added human resources. Folks you were willing to pay a stiff fee to bring in.

President Trump does not want you to replace lower-end American jobs with the Indian or Chinese import. He even went about quoting the case of a company that sacked more than 20,000 American workers to bring in just about that number of overseas employees at a lower cost. Trump seemed fine with "brain-shopping" at the top end, but seemed staunchly against "body shopping", something that has been the very foundation of the Indian IT end-to-end services industry. He wants to put an end to this, and hence the plan.

This action on the H-1B visa seems to be part of this plan. The key idea is the noble intent of protecting American jobs. From the Indian side of the fence, all that was well, but this is a business challenge. One that will make Indian IT exports uncompetitive. This is not to be for the Indian company alone, but for some of the biggest American companies as well that bring in Indians to work for them on American soil. The data throws up names of some of the biggest American companies on the list—Amazon, Microsoft, Meta, Apple and Google included.

The double-whammy perception of it is, however, the fact that Indian imports were being taxed, both of the goods and the human kind now. India was certainly at the receiving end of this order, as 71 percent of the approved visas (of the total 85,000 H-1B approvals) went to Indians, with China coming a distant second with 11.7 percent. The pressure was clearly on India and Indians. The world is getting less flat all of a sudden. Nations are getting protective and the MAGA agenda in the US is not a force to be ignored. India and the Indian are under pressure. The US is no longer the land of milk and honey for us to drink from.

What then is the India response? What must it be? As I ask this question, there is a fair bit of chaos and lack of clear thinking in the industry. The government response is yet to come, as the diplomacy back-channels must be working overtime. The people's response is loud and chaotic though, as it usually is. Our television channels are full of 'quick-gun Murugan' responses. Everyone is aghast and irritated. Everyone is against the US actions.

And then there is a fair bit of crisis-romanticism at play here. People who just don't know the business reality at play are suggesting political motives with solutions that talk of things that seem just out of a Mills & Boon business romance series, if there ever was one. An entire reverse brain-drain on the US with our Indian doctors and scientists and engineers returning home to work for India, in India is one of them.

As the Indian response is shaping up, what can we do? I do believe when a nation is pushed, it pushes back. This push-back has begun. When pushed against the wall, you need to survive and fight back. Indian IT houses need to think this out carefully. The writing has always been on the wall and internal think tanks within companies have always ideated on this possibility. Our scenario-planning exercises have always visualised this eventuality. This is nothing new.

Our IT-led and -enabled enterprises have, over the years, hedged their bets across geographies. What started as a US-need-centric business is today hedged across geographies. India works across the world. Yes, the US is still the biggest market, but it certainly is not the only market. In that manner of speaking, an Amazon will face the bite of this action more than a TCS. The business response will, therefore, come from the biggest of American firms that use and depend on Indian resources.

When the resource cannot come to the company at economic cost, must the company go to the resource then? Therein lays a salivating thought for India. I do believe action on this will come from American companies and not by hands-tied Indian ones. In the beginning, they will test the legality of this presidential action, and if it holds, I do believe business will go where it makes sense to go. The large number of global capability centres (GCCs)—1,900 at the last count—that have made Indian soil their home are examples of how businesses go where it makes sense to go. These GCCs have been set up in India not only because India is hungry for them (that as well). They are here because they are hungry for India and what it offers them. It makes excellent business sense to be at the centre of talent. Either go where the talent is, or like in the old days, bring the talent in. That paradigm will change and there lays the big opportunity for India.

Yes, a lot of our youngsters will lose the opportunity to live in the US and enjoy the American life and lifestyle, but home is where the heart is. My Bengaluru has bad traffic, but it's not all that bad. We get the best dosas out here at prices that astound, particularly when you convert the dollar to the rupee. Come to Bengaluru.

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TEMPORAL MINDERS OF GODLY WEALTH

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THE first World Ayyappa Convention, backed by the CPI(M)-led Kerala government and presided over by the Travancore Devaswom Board (TDB), took place in Pamba near Sabarimala on Saturday. Many allies of the CPI(M)—who face an assembly election next year—were part of the event. Every politician loves a rich god.

In late 2022, the TDB was caught in a scandal. Gold ornaments offered to Lord Ayyappa by devotees over decades were sent for remodelling to a goldsmith in Thiruvananthapuram. When they were returned, their weight had lessened considerably. The TDB claims the difference is only about 4 kg—standard wastage from refining. However, critics, including a temple advisory committee member, allege that up to 90 kg of material is missing, suggesting the gold was either stolen or swapped with inferior metal.

The Crime Branch, which comes directly under Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan, is investigating the case. Naturally, it is not in a hurry to conclude its findings. The case is once again at the centre of state politics, with the opposition interpreting the convention as a cynical exercise to win over believers and convert bhakti into the only thing of political value—votes.

God is big business. Sabarimala attracts over 20 million devotees in a typical pilgrimage season. The TDB's annual income from the shrine is estimated to be well over ₹500 crore. This is admittedly less than the income of the Sree Krishna Temple in Guruvayur, which has an annual footfall of 8-10 million but generates an estimated ₹600-800 crore, thanks to its year-round operations and gold reserves of approximately 2,500 kg.

To put the temple business in perspective, both these rich temples in Kerala are inferior in income and influence to the titan of temples in India, Tirumala Tirupati. The Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams oversees 25-30 million annual pilgrims, stores over 9 tonnes of gold, and collects over ₹1,500 crore in yearly donations.

Another prominent Kerala temple in the news is Sree Padmanabhaswamy in Thiruvananthapuram. In 2011, the opening of the temple's 'Vault B' unveiled a treasure of gold, diamonds, and artefacts valued at about ₹1.2 lakh crore, making it one of the richest places of worship in the world. These are India's gods of gold. Can politics be far behind?

As of now, a Supreme Court-nominated committee manages the Padmanabhaswamy Temple's affairs, including its finances and security. This is seen as a working compromise reducing the direct control of both the royal family and the state government, the main contestants for managing the funds.

A fraction of temple funds is used for philanthropy. The Tirumala authorities run hospitals and universities. In contrast, the Kerala temple boards' charitable output is perceived to be minimal. For example, nothing ought to prevent them from running good hospitals for the poor, yet there are few such institutions.

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Politicians of all stripes vie to control the considerable riches of temples. The case of missing gold from Sabarimala points to the mismanagement of temple affairs. Devotees who offer their hard-earned wealth deserve to know how it is managed

The vast majority of temple wealth disappears into a labyrinthine ecosystem of administrative overheads, opaque fixed deposits, non-transparent tenders for everything from ladles to laddus, and real estate deals. The boards governing these temples are often vicarious centres of political patronage, where appointments are rewards, not responsibilities. The annual audit reports, when they see the light of day, are often chronicles of compromise.

The Sabarimala case is exceptional because of its direct nexus with politics. The TDB, which manages over 1,200 temples, is currently headed by a leader of the CPI(M), a party in power for nearly eight consecutive years. One might ask: what has Marxism to do with Manikantan (another name for Ayyappa)?

The 90 kg vs 4 kg debate is not a simple accounting error. It is facetious to claim a considerable quantity of gold simply evaporated. After years of investigation, if the Crime Branch cannot determine the weight of the missing gold, it is a symptom of the disease. The TDB's version of events is a testament to their belief that the faithful would swallow any explanation, no matter how implausible.

They forget the lesson taught by rationalists like the late Pavanan, who happens to be my father. A rationalist all his life, decades ago he exposed the 'divine' Makara Vilakku 'miracle' as a man-made fire, orchestrated by the devaswom board. Makaravilakku is an annual event celebrated at Sabarimala marking the culmination of the pilgrimage season. The festival is famous for the sighting of a special light, the Makarajyothi, on the top of a distant hill. Pavanan and his colleagues discovered that the fire was lit by the temple management. He proved that the machinery of faith is often powered by falsity. Yet, the Makarajyothi spectacle continues.

Those who believe cannot question. Politicians and power brokers know this well. Why would an all-powerful god, who created the stars and Earth, want gold and cash? No politician, national or Kerala-specific, would ask that question because power must build bridges with superstition to survive.

The devotee does need to know that their sacrifice—the hard-earned cash dropped into the hundi, the gold necklace offered in desperation or gratitude—is treated with a measure of sanctity. Perhaps our billionaire gods cannot be brought to book. But the dealings of the politicians who pretend to be their managers can be made more transparent.

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Brain gain

Ref: *Prioritise innovation, build India's future as deep tech destination* (Sep 22). The US president wants to give priority to Americans, just like any other country would. Our previous leaders failed to prevent brain drain and the present employees are paying the penalty. If India wants to bring the best talents back to our country, first we must incentivise skill.
V R Ganesan, Chennai

Mohanlal's gift

Ref: *Craft meets greatness* (Sep 22). Mohanlal's cinematic career has been in congruence with Malayalam cinema, both in creativity and growth. Admirably, he belongs to the actors who "rowing hard against the stream, saw distant gates of Eden gleam, and did not dream it was a dream".
Keleth Gopakumar Menon, Thrissur

Inspiring read

Ref: *Slayer of darkness* (Sep 22). The author's writing was both engaging and insightful. The narrative was clear, thoughtful, and left the reader with much to reflect upon. As a reader, I value columns that combine knowledge with readability, offering both information and inspiration.
Prem Anand A, email

Daring escapes

Ref: *On a wheel and a prayer* (Sep 22). This story brings back memories of a real-life story I read in the *Reader's Digest* about a Cuban teenager who fled from Cuba in a similar fashion in 1969. The youth had tied himself to the rear wheel shaft and had miraculously survived.
Harsha N Biliangady, email

GST reality

Ref: *Shun foreign goods, turn to Indian* (Sep 22). The GST reforms, though necessary, should not be celebrated as they were long overdue. Celebrating it as a gift is certainly not appropriate and seems hypocritical when people are taking continuous blows from inflation and wage stagnation.
V Padmanabhan, Bengaluru

Palestine hypocrisy

Ref: *UK, Aus, Canada recognise Palestinian state* (Sep 22). Recognition without action epitomises 'too little, too late'. These nations remain complicit in arming Israel, facilitating the massacre. This genocide has revealed the moral hollowness of governments, which have failed to relay their citizens' demands of putting an end to the genocide for almost two years now.
Ananya Podder, Kolkata

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Mahua Moitra @MahuaMoitra
Does GST Bachat Utsav mean @narendramodi will return to us the money GoI looted in past 8 years via irrationally high GST rates? Now THAT would really boost our savings.

Yashwant Sinha @YashwantSinha
When the Congress party government introduced GST in 2017 it made many mistakes. It was indeed Gabbar Singh Tax. The nation is grateful to Modiji for correcting the mistakes and introducing GST 2.

Sambit Patra @sambitswaraj
Kharge ji appears to have overlooked the fact that it was Congress that created one of the most complex and burdensome tax systems in the world.

'A deal will happen after Trump says done'

Mark Linscott, former Assistant US Trade Representative, talks about the persistent roarblocks for trade pact

AS India and the US attempt to reboot trade talks after a turbulent diplomatic spell, one question looms large: is real progress finally within reach, or are both sides still locked in a pattern of limited, transactional wins? **Mark Linscott**, former Assistant US Trade Representative with deep experience across WTO/GATT, South and Central Asia, talks to **Jayanth Jacob** about the persistent roadblocks. **Excerpts**:

Having led past trade negotiations with India, what institutional or strategic challenges continue to prevent the two countries from achieving a comprehensive agreement?
The challenges aren't new for the most part. Trade barriers are what make negotiations hard—identifying them, coming up with a strategy to get results on them, and then executing. It's never easy. Commitments that require changes in laws are an obvious example. Any trade barrier tied to doing something that is politically costly to change will always be hard to agree on.

With India continuing to import Russian oil despite penalty tariff. Could this realistically impact ongoing trade talks, or is it more of a political pressure point?
It has already impacted ongoing trade talks. They stopped for a good period while the emotional side took over in state relations between the US and India. So it seems that an understanding on Russian oil purchases will have to come first or before announcement of any trade deal.

Compared to your time at USTR, how has India's negotiating style or trade strategy evolved especially under the current government's push for self-reliance? And how the US negations have changed under Trump 2.0?
India has gained a lot more experience in negotiating with important economies and getting impressive results. The US negotiators seem motivated to get the job done—conclude agreements—but the agenda has been a bit unrealistic.

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There's been discussion about a possible 'early harvest' deal between the two sides. From your experience, what core issues could realistically be included, and what would make such a deal impactful?
A deal will only happen when President Trump says, "deal!" So that's impossible to predict. It could be big, like the US-EU agreement on reciprocal tariffs, or smaller, made to look a lot larger. I bet on something in the middle—big, but not huge.

Market access in sectors like agriculture and dairy remains a sticking point. Despite years of technical-level engagement, why have these issues proven so intractable? What's really blocking progress?
Agriculture, and specifically dairy, is always going to be sensitive. I believe in the step-by-step approach to opening the sensitive sectors because that can get the most meaningful result in the end.

In the face of global trade fragmentation, how important is it for India and the US to shift from tariff-centred disputes to more strategic cooperation on standards, digital regulation, and services?
Frankly, tariffs and work on standards, digital regulations, services, all go hand-in-hand. They're complementary because results on one require back-up by results on the other. You can't get meaningful market access without lowering tariffs, fixing non-tariff barriers, and aligning on supporting services, and, of course, that means digital.

India has been active in signing FTAs with countries like Australia and the UAE. How do those agreements compare to what's on the table with the US, and what signals should the US be reading from them?
First, India has impressed with its effort to initiate and conclude trade deals with a combination of holding the line when the balance in leverage is favorable but offering important concessions here and there. I think India would welcome a real commitment on both sides to go big and do that through a serious BTA negotiation. The Trump administration, maybe.

How much influence do business and industry lobbies hold in shaping India-US trade policy? Is there a gap between what industry wants and what govts are prioritising?
I think both countries will prioritise what they hear from the domestic side in specific industries. I think it also involves a calculation of stakes in getting to an end game in a trade negotiation. If the sacrifices don't justify the benefits, a trade negotiation can drag on for years.

Looking ahead, what would a bold, forward-looking India-US trade framework look like? What big ideas or concessions would be needed on both sides to make that a reality?
The dream would be shooting for the moon and going for a comprehensive agreement—put a lot of things on the table. But those are the ones that drag on for years. The Trump administration is in a hurry on trade and may have diminishing leverage, so it may either have to cut corners by concluding smaller agreements and build up to bigger ones or continue to seek high tariffs as the end—go figure.

Navy Chief to firm up def ties during 4-day Lanka visit, meet political leaders

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

NAVY Chief Admiral Dinesh K Tripathi on Monday embarked on an official visit to Sri Lanka to take forward bilateral defence relationships with the island nation. During his four-day visit, Admiral Tripathi is scheduled to meet the top political leaders and military officers. In a statement, the Navy said, "During the visit, the CNS will call on the Prime Minister of Sri Lanka, Dr Harini Amarasuriya and engage in bilateral discussions with the three Service Chiefs and other senior govt officials on a broad spectrum of defence cooperation matters, with emphasis on maritime security, capability enhancement, training and identifying avenues to strengthen Cooperation."

The Navy chief would also be participating in the 12th edition of Galle Dialogue 2025 - International Maritime Conference at Colombo on the theme 'Maritime Outlook of the Indian Ocean under Changing Dynamics'.

The Indian Navy regularly interacts with the Sri Lanka Navy through medium of Annual Defence Dialogue, Staff Talks and other operational interactions which include Sri Lanka India Naval Exercise (SLINEX), Passage Exercises, Training and Hydrography exchanges.

Continuing in the series Indian Navy's indigenous stealth frigate INS Satpura is in Colombo and will engage in "professional interaction, rescue and force protection drills, yoga and sports fixtures with the Sri Lanka Navy."

In addition, both Navies regularly participate in multilateral events such as Indian Ocean Naval Symposium, Galle Dialogue, MILAN, Goa Maritime Conclave/ Symposium, Colombo Security Conclave.

The CNS engagements in Sri Lanka are structured at deepening bonds of friendship, paving the way for enhanced understanding in key areas of shared strategic and maritime interests, in line with the vision of 'MAHASAGAR'.

The visit reaffirms the India - Sri Lanka relations, anchored on mutual respect, maritime trust and a shared vision for peace and stability in the Indian Ocean Region.

In another significant development towards boosting the bilateral relations, the Indian defence public sector shipyard Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders Limited (MDL) of Mumbai is in process to pick up a controlling stake in Colombo Dockyard PLC (CDPLC), the largest shipbuilding and repair company of Sri Lanka.

SC issues notice to Centre in AI crash

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday issued notice to the Centre, and others on a plea seeking a court-monitored independent investigation into the June 12 Air India crash in Ahmedabad, which killed 260 people, including 19 on the ground.

A bench of Justices Surya Kant and N Kotiswar Singh, while issuing a notice to Centre and others, sought a response on the petition filed by an aviation safety organisation, Safety Matters Foundation (SMF), which was headed by former Captain Amit Singh.

Advocate Prashant Bhushan, arguing for the petitioner, highlighted the issue of reports blaming the pilots for the crash. The court said it was logical for the petitioner to demand a fair and impartial probe.

While terming the incident "unfortunate and irresponsible to leak selective information," the SC questioned the demand for disclosure of the Flight Data Recorder and it suggested maintaining confidentiality till regular inquiry was taken to its logical conclusion. "When this kind of tragedy happens... Boeing and Airbus will not be attributed with fault, and the entire airline is run down," the bench said.

It is notable that the London-bound Boeing 787-8 aircraft went down minutes after take-off, leaving a lone survivor.

The plea filed by SMF, led by Amit Singh, a former pilot, has challenged the preliminary report released by the Aircraft Accident Investigation Bureau (AAIB) on July 12, as it alleged that it violated the Aircraft (Investigation of Accidents and Incidents) Rules, 2017, which mandate full disclosure of factual data gathered in the early stages of an inquiry.

The petition stated that when citizens entrusted their lives to air travel, they do so on the faith that the state will ensure a regime of transparency, accountability, and fairness in the investigation of accidents.

"A selective or compromised inquiry not only denies justice to the victims but also exposes future passengers to the same systemic risks. The importance of this petition, therefore, lies not only in seeking answers for the present disaster but in safeguarding the lives of countless others who continue to fly with the belief that the skies are secure," the plea said.

After hearing the plea, the court sought a detailed reply on the matter, and decided to hear the plea which sought a direction to make publicly available the complete data retrieved from the crashed AI aircraft, bearing registration VT-ANB.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

'Some HC judges unable to deliver on tasks'

The Supreme Court on Monday lamented some high court judges being unable to "deliver on their tasks" as it called for their "performance evaluation". A bench of Justices Surya Kant and N Kotiswar Singh said there ought to be a system to ensure "files don't pile up on their desks". "There are judges who work day and night and are giving outstanding disposal of cases. But at the same time, there are some judges who unfortunately are unable to deliver - whatever may be the reasons, good or bad, we don't know," the bench said.

Jacqueline gets SC jolt in money laundering case

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday refused to interfere with a Delhi High Court order dismissing Bollywood actor Jacqueline Fernandez's plea seeking to quash an ECIR (Enforcement Case Information Report) in a ₹200-crore money laundering case involving alleged conman Sukesh Chandrasekhar.

"Sorry. You withdraw this. Come at an appropriate stage. That would be the better option. We will not interfere at this stage," a two-judge bench of the top court, headed by Justice Dipankar Datta and Justice Augustine George Masih told senior advocate Mukul Rohatgi, who represented Fernandez.

The actor in her plea filed in SC, challenged the Delhi High Court's July 3 order which dismissed her petition for quashing the ECIR in the money laundering case.

'Unlawful association': MHA extends ban on NSCN(K) for five more years

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

THE Union Ministry of Home Affairs on Monday issued an order extending the ban on the National Socialist Council of Nagaland-Khaplang (NSCN-K) as an unlawful association for next five years.

In an official statement, the MHA said that the Khaplang group of NSCN was found to be aligned with other unlawful associations like the ULFA(I), PREPAK and PLA. The outfit also indulged in kidnapping for ransom and extortion of money from businessmen, government officials and other civilians, it alleged.

Among other unlawful activities in which the NSCN-K has been found to be indulging in include possessing illegal arms and ammunition, as it also allegedly obtained assistance from anti-India forces in other countries to procure arms and other assistance, the MHA said.

The MHA in its notification said, the ban under provisions of Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA) will remain effective from September 28 for a period of five years.

The government is of the opinion that the NSCN(K) has declared its aim to create a sovereign Nagaland incorporating the Naga-inhabited areas of the Indo-Myanmar region by secession from the Union of India and aligned itself with other unlawful associations.

Between September 28, 2020 and April 30, 2025, 71 cases were registered against its cadres; 56 charge sheets were filed and 35 of them prosecuted; 51 cadres found to be involved in criminal activities; and 85 cadres arrested and 69, surrendered. Besides, huge cache of arms, including 69 weapons, 52 magazines, 931 live rounds, 10 grenades, 150 detonators, three explosives gel tubes, 200 grams of trinitrotoluene, one-and-a-half kilogram improvised explosive device (IED) and 800 grams of other explosives were recovered from its hideouts. 13 underground cadres of the outfit were also killed in action by police or security forces. The state governments of Nagaland, Manipur and Arunachal Pradesh have also recommended that the organisation be declared unlawful.

ED widens probe in illegal betting apps scam case

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

ROBIN Uthappa, ex-Indian cricket player, on Monday appeared before the Enforcement Directorate (ED) for questioning under provisions of the Prevention of Money laundering Act (PMLA) in connection with a probe linked to the controversial online betting platform 1xBet, officials said.

According to the officials, 39-year-old Uthappa arrived at the ED's headquarters at around 11 am, where his statement was recorded.

The officials said the questioning mostly focused on his association with 1xBet, including the nature of the contract, payment modes and whether he was aware of the app's alleged illegal activities.

Over the past few weeks, the agency has questioned several high-profile individuals.

13-yr-old Afghan who stowed away on flight to IGIA deported on same airline

S LALITHA @ New Delhi

A 13-year-old Afghan boy who survived a perilous journey hidden inside the wheel bay of a Kabul-Delhi flight was deported back to Afghanistan on Sunday evening, authorities told this newspaper.

The boy, who mistakenly believed the aircraft was bound for Iran, boarded KAM Air flight RQ4401 from Hamid Karzai International Airport and stowed away in the rear wheel well. The Airbus A340 landed safely at Delhi's Indira Gandhi International Airport (IGIA) around 10:20 am, following a 94-minute flight.

His incredible yet dangerous journey raised alarms across Indian and Afghan aviation security establishments.

Sources said the teenager tailed legitimate passengers to bypass security checks in Kabul and entered the aircraft undetected. Security footage later showed him emerging from the aircraft's wheel bay after landing. A ground handler at Terminal 3 spotted the boy wandering the restricted apron area and alerted authorities.

The Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) detained the minor, and he was later questioned by immigration officials, CISF personnel, and local police. "He was sent back on the same airline, KAM Air, Sunday evening at 3:31 pm," an airport security official said. "Since he is a minor and entered the country without a visa, he was not penalised. The priority was to return him safely to his family."

Another official indicated that the deportation decision was taken after high-level discussions. Standard procedures were followed in repatriating the boy, who has since reached Kabul.

Experts have called the boy's survival "nothing short of a miracle." Aviation safety analyst Capt. Mohan Ranganathan explained: "The wheel bay typically lacks pressurisation and heating. But him being inside the enclosed section when the landing gear retracted, might have protected him from fatal conditions."

Dr. Ritin Mohindra, from PGIMER Chandigarh, said survival at 30,000 feet is extremely rare. "At those altitudes, oxygen levels plummet, and temperatures fall to between -40°C and -60°C. Unconsciousness can set in within minutes; death soon follows."

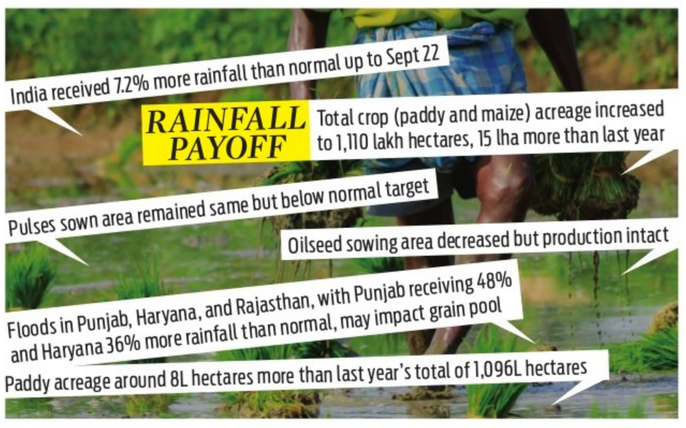
Will assess flood damage to paddy, maize: Govt

JITENDRA CHOUBEY @ New Delhi

THE Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare will form a team to assess the extent of damages due to floods and rainfall caused to kharif crops, particularly paddy and maize. However, the government has stated that overall production is not expected to decline despite reports of excess rainfall and flooding.

In an exclusive interview with TNIE, Agriculture Commissioner P.K. Singh acknowledged the damage but was unable to provide a precise estimate of its extent. He said the team would be constituted after September 30, the official end of the kharif season and the beginning of the rabi season.

Due to a surplus monsoon, total crop acreage has increased to 1,110 lakh hectares (lha). This increase is primarily attributed to paddy and maize. The paddy acreage has increased, and overall crop acreage has surpassed last year's figures. However, certain areas have experienced floods and rainfall, which may have an impact.


India received 7.2% more rainfall than normal up to Sept 22
RAINFALL PAYOFF
Total crop (paddy and maize) acreage increased to 1,110 lakh hectares, 15 lha more than last year
Pulses sown area remained same but below normal target
Oilseed sowing area decreased but production intact
Floods in Punjab, Haryana, and Rajasthan, with Punjab receiving 48% and Haryana 36% more rainfall than normal, may impact grain pool
Paddy acreage around 8L hectares more than last year's total of 1,096L hectares

India has received 7.2% more rainfall than normal up to September 22. With the exception of states like Bihar and Assam, most of the country has experienced normal to above-normal rainfall. Floods have been reported in Punjab, Haryana, and Rajasthan, with Punjab receiving 48% and Haryana 36% more rainfall than normal, making them the worst-affected states in the country. Punjab and Haryana contribute significantly to the central grain pool, raising concerns among policymakers.

Regarding oilseeds, Singh acknowledged a reduction in sowing area but not in production. In the case of pulses, the sown area has remained the same as last year, although it is below the normal target.

"While the soybean area may decrease this year compared to last year, the quality of the crops is better, and total yield is expected to remain stable," said Singh. He also stated that rabi sowing has commenced in Rajasthan, where the monsoon arrived early and retreated early.

100% rainfall for 20 Maha dists, crops damaged

SUDHIR SURYAVANSHI @ Mumbai

FARMERS of Maharashtra bore the brunt of excess rainfall this season, as 20 districts received more than 100% rainfall. Over 63 lakh acres of standing crops have been damaged. The government is yet to assess the total damage.

Agriculture minister Duttatray Bharane said, "The government has released financial assistance for crop loss to farmers. The funds will be directly credited intofarmers' accounts from next week." The state agriculture department said the 20 districts are Thane, Palghar, Solapur, Sangli, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, Jalna, Beed, Latur, Dharashiv, Nanded, Parbhani, Hingoli, Buldhana, Akola, Wasim, Yavatmal, Wardha, Nagpur, Chandrapur, and Gadchiroli.

KOLKATA RAPE

Investigating officers of Kolkata Police have claimed in their chargesheet that DNA reports corroborated the role of key accused Monojit 'Mango' Mishra in the alleged rape of a student inside South Calcutta Law College.

1 MAN DIES OF SNAKEBITE IN UP'S MUZAFFARNAGAR

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	31	24	Mumbai	28	26
Bhopal	32	23	Panaji	30	26
Jaipur	34	24	Patna	33	28
Amritsar	34	24	Lucknow	34	27
Chennai	33	27	Port Blair	28	28
Kolkata	30	27	Imphal	32	22
Srinagar	28	14	Chandigarh	33	24

Says India will become developed only when it is self-dependent

Buy & sell swadeshi for self-reliant India: Modi

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

PM Narendra Modi on Monday made a strong appeal to the people from Itanagar to "buy Swadeshi" and "sell Swadeshi," underlining that self-reliance was the only way to make India a developed nation.

At a public meeting in the Arunachal Pradesh capital after inaugurating and laying the foundation stone of development projects worth over ₹5,100 crore, the prime minister said the nation had entered a decisive phase. "India will become developed only when it is self-dependent. For India to become self-dependent, the Swadeshi mantra is imperative. It is the call of time that we embrace Swadeshi. Buy and sell only that which is manufactured in the country. Garv se kahen, yeh swadeshi hai," he told the crowd.

He said adopting this path would not only strengthen the nation but also accelerate the growth of Arunachal Pradesh and the entire Northeast.

As part of his visit, Modi interacted with local taxpayers, traders and industry representatives to hear their views on the impact of GST rate rationalisation. He described the reforms as "next generation," saying they were designed to ease lives and reduce financial burdens on families. "Essential items, such as kitchen supplies, educational materials for children, and footwear and clothing, have become more affordable," he said.

Modi said that despite challenges over the years, his government had consistently lowered income tax rates and expanded the range of goods exempted from taxation. "Many items have become tax-free, and taxes on other goods have been significantly reduced," he said. He pointed out that building a home, purchasing a scooter or bike, eating out, and travelling had all become more affordable. He added that the GST Savings Festival will be a memorable milestone for the people.

Turning to politics, the prime minister accused the Congress of having neglected Arunachal and the Northeast for decades. "The longstanding tendency of Congress was to avoid difficult development tasks. This adversely impacted Arunachal and the entire region," he said. He added that terrains once written off as backward had been denied opportunities and resources, leaving tribal and remote areas to suffer.

He said Congress governments had labelled villages near the international border as "last villages" in order to shirk responsibility and cover up failures. "This neglect led to continuous migration from tribal and border areas," he said.

In contrast, Modi said, the BJP-led government had reversed the approach. Districts once branded "backward" were now called "aspirational districts" and placed at the top of the development agenda.

BTC elections peaceful with 72% turnout

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

THE Bodoland Territorial Region (BTR) in Assam saw high voter turnout on Monday for elections to the 40-member Bodoland Territorial Council (BTC). By 4:30 pm, 72.61% of the polling had been recorded, and officials stated that more voters were still in line. A total of 26,58,153 people, including 13,34,600 women, were eligible to vote. No untoward incidents were reported during polling.

The BTC administers the five districts of Kokrajhar, Baksa, Chirang, Tamulpur, and Udalguri. BTC Chief Executive Member Pramod Boro of the United People's Party Liberal (UPPL) cast his vote at Souraguri LP School in Goibari constituency. He posted on X: "I extend my heartfelt gratitude to all citizens of BTR for participating in this grand democratic process with such enthusiasm. Our journey of peace, unity, and progress will continue uninterrupted."

The main rival, Bodoland People's Front (BPF), led by Hagrama Mohilary, ruled BTR for 17 years until 2020. After voting, Mohilary said, "The BPF will get a clear majority because people have their trust and faith in our leadership."

Earlier, CM Himanta Biswa Sarma told the citizens, "Your one vote makes all the difference and is the key to a thriving and developed BTR."

2 top Maoists killed in C'garh encounter, Shah lauds security forces

EJAZ KAISER @ Raipur

TWO male cadres of the outlawed CPI (Maoist) were killed in a gunfight with security forces in the Abujhmad area of Narayanpur district, about 400 km south of Raipur, police said on Monday. The achievement was hailed by Union Home Minister Amit Shah.

Troops launched a search operation based on intelligence inputs regarding the presence of Maoists in the given location of Narayanpur district, close to the Maharashtra–Chhattisgarh border. "A gunfight broke out between the security forces and the Maoists inside the forested terrain in the morning. The exchange of fire continued intermittently. Besides the two bodies of Naxals, security forces recovered weapons, including an AK-47 rifle, explosive materials and items of daily use from the encounter site," said a senior police officer.

The recovered bodies are yet to be identified. There has been no report of any security personnel sustaining injuries in the encounter. Narayanpur, among the seven Maoist-affected districts in Bastar zone, is cited as an epicentre of the left-wing extremist group in south Chhattisgarh. Meanwhile, Union Home Minister Amit Shah lauded the forces for systematically dismantling the top leadership of the Naxals, saying that they have achieved another major victory against the Naxalites by neutralising two top Left-Wing-Extremist (LWE) leaders.

In an 'X' post Shah said, "Today, our security forces have achieved another major victory against the Naxalites. In the Abujhmad region of Narayanpur along the Maharashtra-Chhattisgarh border, our forces eliminated two Central Committee Member Naxal leaders - Katta Ramachandra Reddy and Kadri Satyanarayan Reddy."

248 NAXALS KILLED SO FAR THIS YEAR

- **Sept 18:** In southwest Bijapur, two carrying a bounty of ₹7 lakh killed
- **Sept 18:** In Sukma, one carrying a bounty of ₹5 lakh killed
- **Sept 13:** 10, including one carrying a bounty of ₹1 crore, killed in Gariaband
- **Aug 13:** Special Zonal Committee member and Divisional Committee secretary killed in police encounter
- **July 27:** 4, carrying bounty, killed in Basaguda and Gangalur in Bijapur
- **July 18:** 6 killed in In Narayanpur
- **July 5:** 1 killed in Bijapur National Park
- **June 7:** 5 bodies recovered in Kanker
- **June 6:** Telangana State Committee member killed in Bijapur
- **May 21:** 28, including commander Basavaraju, killed in Bijapur

SRINAGAR DIARY

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Twin girls invite PM to visit flood-hit Kashmir

In a heartfelt appeal, 8-year-old twin sisters Zainab and Zaiba from Kokernag in Anantnag district have invited Prime Minister Narendra Modi to visit Kashmir. In a 1.41-minute video that went viral on social media, the girls said, "Kashmir is a beautiful place. Had PM Modi come, Kashmir's splendour would have increased further." They wished he could visit during winter to see the Valley covered in snow. Speaking with BJP leader Ravindra Raina, they urged the Prime Minister to meet people and witness recent flood damage. "Our bridge was washed away, apple growers suffered heavy losses," they said, requesting cold storage for fruits.

Railway parcel trains carry 5.42L apple boxes

Apple growers in Kashmir have found relief as 5,42,699 apple boxes were transported to Delhi by 19 trains since September 11. Daily parcel trains, with a capacity of 180 tonnes, are now running from Budgam, Anantnag, and Baramulla, providing a dependable alternative to the Srinagar-Jammu highway, which was closed for over a fortnight. Losses to fruit growers and traders are estimated at nearly ₹1,000 crore. Bashir Ahmad Bashir, president of the Kashmir Fruit Growers and Dealers Union, said, "The parcel train will provide alternatives to ferry produce to markets outside Kashmir quickly and in good condition."

J&K declares DigiLocker documents valid

The J&K government has declared all documents and certificates stored on DigiLocker as authentic and valid for official use. A circular issued by the General Administration Department made adoption and integration of DigiLocker mandatory in departments, public sector undertakings, and advisory boards. Officials said this move would boost paperless administration, transparency, and citizen convenience. The Information Technology Department has been asked to provide full support for implementation. The government cautioned that reliance on physical papers would be treated as a violation of e-governance norms.

Pannun aide & Khalistani terrorist detained, booked under arms act in Canada

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

Arrest follows thaw in bilateral ties

Gosal's arrest comes days after India and Canada agreed to adopt a collaborative approach towards a new chapter in bilateral ties, including working closely to combat terrorism.

KHALISTANI terrorist Inderjit Singh Gosal, a close aide of designated terrorist Gurpatwant Singh Pannun of the banned Sikhs for Justice (SFJ), has reportedly been arrested in Canada, intelligence sources have claimed. Gosal, 36, was said to be the principal organiser of the so-called Khalistan referendum in Canada and had also served as Pannun's personal security officer.

According to intelligence inputs, Gosal was detained in Ottawa on multiple firearms-related charges. His arrest comes days after India and Canada agreed to adopt a collaborative approach towards a new chapter in bilateral ties, including working closely to combat terrorism and transnational crimes, during talks between National Security Adviser Ajit Doval and his Canadian counterpart Nathalie Drouin in New Delhi. There has been no official confirmation yet from Canadian authorities.

Gosal had earlier been arrested in November last year after a violent attack at the Hindu Sabha Mandir in Brampton, Greater Toronto Area, where Khalistani supporters clashed with devotees. The Peel Regional Police later released him conditionally. At that time too, officials described him as a key organiser of the Khalistan referendum campaign. Pannun, who holds dual US and Canadian citizenship, hails from Punjab and is designated as a terrorist in India.

India–Canada ties have only recently begun to recover after hitting a low in 2023 when then-Prime Minister, Justin Trudeau, alleged an Indian hand in the killing of Khalistani terrorist Hardeep Singh Nijjar.

SC says it's time to decriminalise defamation

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday said that the time has come to decriminalise defamation.

A bench of justices M M Sundresh and Satish Chandra Sharma was hearing a plea of online news portal *The Wire* seeking to quash summons in a defamation case filed by a former professor of the Jawaharlal Nehru University. "I think the time has come to decriminalise all this (defamation cases). How long will you go on dragging these cases?" Justice M M Sundresh remarked.

After hearing the petition filed by the Foundation for Independent Journalism, which runs *The Wire*, the bench issued notice to Prof Amita Singh and sought her reply. The petitioner had approached the Supreme Court challenging the issuance of summons to it in connection with the criminal defamation case filed by Singh in connection with an article published by the news portal titled 'Dossier Calls JNU Den of Organised Sex Racket' in 2016. The article had hinted that Singh was among several teachers who had prepared the dossier that "set the script for the hate campaign against JNU". This was followed by the criminal defamation case against *The Wire*.

Rahul, Kharge to attend CWC meeting in Patna on Sept 24

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

'Cong fighting second war of Independence'

AICC Bihar in-charge Krishna Allavaru said the meeting had been scheduled in Bihar as Congress was fighting "the second war of Independence" in the state. He accused the BJP of "vote theft," comparing PM Modi to a student "who does not study hard, but takes recourse to unfair means for doing well in exams".

THE Congress will hold an extended meeting of its Working Committee (CWC) in Patna on September 24 as part of a show of strength and its bid to regain lost ground in Bihar since the 1990s. Party sources said the focus will be on Bihar, campaign strategy, future polls and alleged "vote chori."

President Mallikarjun Kharge, former president Sonia Gandhi and Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi will be there.

All permanent and special invitees, Congress chief ministers, state unitpresidents and CLP leaders will take part.

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Allavaru added that seat-sharing talks were underway in the INDIA bloc. Asked about RJD leader Tejashwi Yadav as the bloc's CM face, he said alliance partners would decide "at an appropriate time".

Seat-sharing, however, remains contentious. While Congress is eyeing 70 seats, CPI (ML) has demanded 40, CPI 24 and VIP 60. CPI (M) has sought 11, including seats it won and finished runners-up in 2020. With RLSP and JMM also in the bloc, RJD faces a tough balancing act.

No compromise on seats: Chirag clears stand

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

UNION minister and Lok Janshakti Party (Ram Vilas) chief Chirag Paswan on Monday asserted that his party would not accept anything less than a respectable number of seats in the seat-sharing deal among constituents of NDA for upcoming Bihar Assembly polls. The state elections are due in October-November.

Talking to media persons in Patna, Chirag said that seat-sharing talks would take place during the auspicious period of Navratra, exuding confidence that seat sharing formula would be finalised amicably.

He said that he was hopeful of getting respectable number of seats in the deal as his party would not make any compromise on this issue. "We will not compromise on respectable number of seats given to our party," he added. On Congress' CWC meeting, the minister said, "This is pressure politics and nothing else."

In a 1st, AI-enabled centre to come up at Betla National Park in J'khand

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

A first of its kind AI-enabled nature experience centre is set to come up at Betla National Park, a part of the Palamu Tiger Reserve (PTR) in Jharkhand. This cutting-edge facility will transport visitors into the heart of the jungle, allowing them to immerse themselves in the sights and sounds of nature.

According to PTR Deputy Director Prajesh Kant Jena, this centre will not be limited to photographs or models; but the visitors will get the feel of a jungle, with a tiger hunting right in front. Modern technologies such as AI assistants, 3D holographic projection, augmented reality and immersive sound effects will be utilised, he said.

"The concept of nature experience is an effort to bring animal movement in the entire ecosystem, whether it is animal movement or it is food sharing activities or bird calls, to the people using modern technologies," said Jena. The visitors will hear the echo of waterfalls, feel the breeze and even see a herd of elephants running toward them; they will also be able to watch a lion hunting," he said. The centre will feature technology that will bring nature to life within the hall.

While several centres in the country offer various types of presentations, the one being developed in Betla will be different. "The concept of nature interpretation is not new and existed in Betla since 1970s. However, this is the first attempt to develop it on a high-tech level," said the Deputy Director. He added that it will also be a significant hub for researchers and nature lovers.

According to Jena, the theme of the centre is "Threads of Nature," to convey that nature and humans are not separate.

Suspense over Phytosaur fossil in Jaisalmer village

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

SUSPENSE and excitement continue to mount in Megha village in Fatehgarh subdivision of Jaisalmer district where ancient fossilised remains were recently unearthed near Harpal's pond. During excavation, researchers found fossilised stones resembling wood along with a large vertebrate bone structure which has sparked intense speculation of a prehistoric creature dating back millions of years.

While Jaisalmer has yielded several important paleontological finds in the past, this latest discovery is being viewed as particularly significant. Initial assessments suggest the fossil belongs to a prehistoric reptile, with experts linking the find to the Late Triassic and Jurassic formations of the region.

While these remains were discovered by locals in end-August, a team of scientists from the JNV University in Jodhpur has collected the relevant samples. Local authorities have ensured that the entire area has been well-protected through barbed wires.

Fatehgarh SDM Bharat Gurjar confirmed that the remains discovered a few weeks ago have now been fully secured. "We have preserved the fossil and enclosed the site. A team from Jodhpur's JNV University has already collected samples, and we have written to the Geological Survey of India (GSI). Only after GSI's study will the age and classification of the fossil be officially confirmed," he said.

Senior groundwater scientist Dr. Narayandas Inkhia noted that Jaisalmer has a long record of fossil discoveries, including confirmed dinosaur remains in Akal and Thaiyat. "At first glance, this vertebrate structure appears to be 6-7 feet long. While it would be premature to label it a dinosaur, it may indeed belong to a large prehistoric reptile. Fossil vertebrates dating back nearly 180 million years have been found here before," he said. Dr Inkhiya and his team who work for the state's water department had played a vital role in unearthing the discovery at Megha village in Jaisalmer.

In addition, researcher Parth Jagani, who examined the fossil, observed that its spine is clearly visible. "The fossil is six to seven feet long and three to four feet wide. Its size indicates it was a large semiaquatic creature. Given the Jurassic-age rock formations of the region, the fossil likely belongs to that era. Earlier, dinosaur footprints, shark fossils, and marine remains have been recorded in Jaisalmer. This too may represent a major addition to that record," he explained.

Experts believe that the site could hold "many more hidden fossils" that may provide crucial on the history of evolution.

FINDINGS AT A GLANCE

What was found: A 1.5 to 2-meter-long Phytosaur fossil

What is a Phytosaur: A prehistoric, heavily armored, semiaquatic reptile that resembled a crocodile but was not a dinosaur

Location: Megha village, Jaisalmer district, Rajasthan, India

EXPERT OPINION: CONSIDERED A VITAL CONTRIBUTION TO INDIA'S GEOLOGICAL HERITAGE; IDENTIFIED INITIALLY BY A LOCAL HYDROGEOLOGIST AND HIS TEAM

Age: Approximately 201 million years old, dating back to the Late Triassic Period

A.P. SOCIAL WELFARE RESIDENTIAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS SOCIETY (APSWREIS)

E-Procurement Tender Notice (NIT Nos.15 to 20/2025-26)

APSWREIS invites online bids for supply and installation of **lab consumables, kitchen utensils, mechanized kitchen equipment, sports material, video conferencing peripherals and IFP Panels (Digital Class)** with a total **ECV of Rs.6.90 crore. Tender Start Date:** 24.09.2025.
Details: **http://tender.apeprocurement.gov.in /**
Contact: **0863-2347445.**
Secretary, APSWREIS reserves the right to cancel the tender at any stage without notice.

Sd/- PRASANNA VENKATESH V, SECRETARY, APSWREIS

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CORRIGENDUM

In partial modification of this office **Advertisement No. 10/2025** published in this newspaper on **21.09.2025** towards recruitment of various vacant posts of VITM, Bengaluru and its satellite units 'Technician 'A' Electronics-02 No' may be read as **'Technician 'A' Electronics-01 No'.** All other conditions will remain unchanged in the said advertisement.

KONKAN RAILWAY CORPORATION LIMITED

(A Government of India Undertaking)

NOTICE INVITING E-TENDER

Principal Chief Engineer, Konkan Railway Corporation Ltd., invites Open Tender in Single Packet System through E-Tendering on IREPS portal from eligible contractors for the following work. **Name of Work:** carrying out feasibility survey for proposed patch doubling of Konkan Railway track in two sections viz: (1) Thokur-Mookambika Road Byndoor section in the state of Karnataka (Approx 112 KM) and (2) Vaibhawvadi Road to Majorda section in the state of Maharashtra and Goa (Approx 151 KM) **Tender Notice No.: KR/W/09/2025/08. Advertised Cost of the work:** Rs.1,31,50,000/- (exclusive of GST). **Closing Date/Time:** 14.10.2025 up to 15:00 hrs for submission of online Offers/Bids. **Completion Period:** 3 (Three) Months including monsoon. Manual offers shall not be accepted. Please visit www.ireps.gov.in website for details/participation. Corrigendum/addendum will be hosted in this website only.

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SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

No.09/2025-26, Dated: 22.09.2025

Tender is invited through KPP Portal by the Executive Engineer, No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru on behalf of the Managing Director CNNL Bengaluru from Eligible Registered Contractors for 03 Number of Atckat Road Improvements, Construction of Protective wall and Supplying Diesel Generator to Building works amounting from 95.0 lakhs to 135.00 lakhs to take up these works on Item Rate Contract basis. The last date for Tender quarries/clarification is **Date: 30-9-2025 till 5.00 pm.** Last date for online submission of tender with EMD is **Date: 03-10-2025 till 5.30 p.m.** Date of opening of Technical bid is **date: 06-10-2025 at 11.30 a.m.** For further details, contact the above said during office hours and through KPP-Portal by logging in **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, CNNL., No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)
No: SEE/Tr(P)C/AEE(Civil)/25-26/CYS-15 Date: 19.09.2025

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPPP mode only)

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited invites bid against No.SEE/AEE(C)/Projects/2025-26/CYS-15 **Dated 19.09.2025** for the works coming under Transmission (Projects) Circle, KPTCL, Davanagere. The detailed notification regarding the works called through E-Procurement mode can be obtained from the E-Procurement Protal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **24.09.2025 at 11.00 Hrs** onwards.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele.), Transmission (Projects) Circle, KPTCL Opp. Dist. Stadium, Hadadi Road, Davanagere.

IN THE NATIONAL COMPANY LAW TRIBUNAL CHENNAI BENCH – I
C.P.(CAA) /67(CHE)/2024 IN CA (CAA)/ 47(CHE)/2024

1. M/s. Sigma Advanced Systems Pvt Ltd
2. M/s. Megasoft Limited ..... Petitioner Companies

NOTICE FOR FINAL HEARING OF PETITION

TAKE NOTICE that a Company Petition filed under Sections 230 to 232 of the Companies Act, 2013, for sanctioning the Scheme of Arrangement between M/s. Sigma Advanced Systems Pvt. Ltd., and M/s. Megasoft Limited and its Shareholders ("**Scheme**") was admitted by the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Chennai Bench - I. In this matter, the Second Motion Application was filed on 05.09.2025, and the said Petition is fixed for hearing before the said Hon'ble Tribunal on 12.11.2025.

In pursuance of the Order dated 17.09.2025 and as directed therein, further notice is hereby given that anyone desirous of making representation(s) in relation to the said Company Petition should send to the Petitioners' advocate at their address mentioned below, notice of their intention signed by them or their advocate not later than two (2) days before the date fixed for the final hearing of the Company Petition. The grounds of representation(s), in the form of an Affidavit, shall be furnished along with such notice.

A copy of the Company Petition, along with all the exhibits, will be furnished by the Petitioners' advocate having office at New No. 20, Old No. 59, 'Madhumalathi', Seethammal Road, Seethammal Colony, Alwarpet, Chennai, Tamil Nadu – 600018, to any person requiring the same on payment of the prescribed fees for the same.

s/d
AK Law Chambers
Dated this on 22nd September, 2025 **Advocates for Petitioner Companies**

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No. KFCSC/PROC/MSP/H&T/2025-26 Date: 20.09.2025

e-Tender Notice

Karnataka Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd. has published a tender for Appointment of Transport Contractor for Handling and Transportation of Food grains from Procurement Centres to State Storage Points under MSP Operations for Kharif/ Rabi Marketing season 2025-26 under Tender Reference Number : KFCSCL/2025-26/SE0114. The RFP and other information can be obtained from **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** e-procurement portal.

Sd/-
Managing Director

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No. KFCSC/PROC/MSP/Gunny transp./26/2025-26 Date: 20.09.2025

e-Tender Notice

Karnataka Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd. has published a tender for the appointment of eligible transport contractors for the transportation of gunny bags from West Bengal to Karnataka under Minimum Support Price Scheme for the year 2025-26 under Tender Reference Number: KFCSCL/2025-26/SE0113.

For more information, visit **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** e-procurement portal.

Sd/-
Managing Director

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NO:KKRTC:VJP:TR:COMM:1838:2025-26 Dated:22.04.2025

E-Tender Publication [No: 2025/05

Vijayapur Division invited E-Tender(Through E-Procurement) for Commercial Shops, Refreshment Rooms, Open Space of Various Bus Stands (Including Refreshment Room of CentralBus Stand Vijayapur)Comes under this Division Detailed tender schedule is as below.

1) Last Date for submitting online application: **13.10.2025** at 17.30 PM.

2) E-Tender Opening **Date :15.10.2025** at 10.00 am onward

For details visit https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in or Contact D.T.O :7760992252 or Commercial Case Worker (Traffic Section) @ Divisional Office during office hours.

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Sd/- Divisional Controller, K.K.R.T.C Vijayapur Division.

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No:SPLOCA/ADM/30/2024-25 Date: 20.09.2025

NOTIFICATION

Sub: Regarding Invitation for application/proposals to avail human resources to the office of the Regional Commissioner, Bengaluru Division & Special Officer & Competent Authority (IMA & other scam cases)

The resumes are invited from aspirant individuals to fill the below posts which are allotted by the Office of the Regional Commissioner, Bengaluru Division & Special Officer and Competent Authority (IMA & other company scam cases), the proposals may submitted to the office of the special officer and Competitive Authority (IMA & Other Company Scam Cases)

Details of the posts **Last date of Submission of Resume: 27.09.2025**

Post/ Designation: Tahsildar, No. of Post: 1, Maximum Contract wage per month (Actual shall depend upon qualification & Experience) Rs.65,000/- to 71,000/- Qualification: Should have Retired from Revenue Department as Tahsildar post or equivalent post in State Government with blemish less record no suspension or Departmental Enquiry or Criminal case. Age: Not more than 65 years.
Post/ Designation: Shirastedar/Deputy Tahsildar, No. of Post: 1, Maximum Contract wage per month (Actual shall depend upon qualification & Experience) Rs.52,000/- to 55,000/- Qualification: Should have retired from the Revenue Department as Shirastedar Deputy Tahsildar or in equivalent post is State Government with blemish less record. no suspension or Departmental Enquiry or Criminal case. Age: Not more than 65 years.
Post/ Designation: Accounts Superintendent, No. of Post: 1, Maximum Contract wage per month (Actual shall depend upon qualification & Experience) Rs.56,000/- Qualification: Either retired from State Audit & Accounts Department or any Accounts & Audit service from Central Government, within the last 2 years in equivalent position, with minimum qualification of B.Com & not above the age of 62 years or M. Com with at least 10 years' experience in accounts in any reputed Firm / Government Organisation in an equivalent Position. The applicants must have sound knowledge of Familiarity with single entry accounting & retired official with blemish less record, no suspension or Departmental Enquiry or Criminal case.

The Position is renewable year on year. It is a post on contract, renewable on satisfactory performance with periodic enhancement of salary scales, **not a permanent government service.**

Sd/-
Special Officer & Competent Authority
IMA & other KPID Cases, Bengaluru

DIPR/CP/2935/CCL/2025-26

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION

(THROUGH E-PROCUREMENT PORTAL ONLY)

No: CEE/Tr.(O)ZH/EE(C)/37/2025-26/7714-19 Date: 20.09.2025

KPTCL Invites Bids on electronic mode for the following Works of Transmission (Operations) Zone, Hassan from registered KPWD contractors.

1).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2697 for Construction of extension to control room building for stores at **Nittur** in Udupi district. Category: **ST.**

2).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2699 for Tower strengthening at **location No.32 of 220/110kV Kemar Guruvayanakere Netlamudnur Multi circuit line at Kariakallu village** limits(Sanoor Grama Panchayath) Karkala taluk, Udupi district. Category: **Others.**

3).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2700 for Repairs and Maintenance to 110/11kV control room building at **Jog in Sagar taluk,** Shivamogga district. Category: **SC.**

4). KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2701 for Repairs and Maintenance to 110/11kV control room building at **Sagara in Sagar taluk,** Shivamogga district.Category: **II(A).**

5).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2702 for Repairs and Maintenance to 110/11kV control room building at **Chandragutti in Soraba taluk,** Shivamogga district. Category: **Others.**

6).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2703 for Repairs and Maintenance to 110/11kV control room building at **Kotipura in Soraba taluk,** Shivamogga district. Category: **Others**.

7).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2704 for Repair and Maintenance to 110/11kV **control room building at Shikaripura** in Shikaripura taluk, Shivamogga district. Category: **Others.**

8).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2705 for Providing **RCC Drain to KPTCL colony at Shikaripura** in Shivamogga district. Category: **Others.**

9).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2706 for Repairs to boundary compound wall **around division office at Chikkamagaluru** in Chikkamagaluru Taluk and district. Category: **II(A).**

10).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2707 for Repairs and Maintenance to 110/11kV control room **building at Anandpura** in Sagara taluk, Shivamogga district. Category: **Others.**

11). KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2708 for Repairs and Maintenance to **control room building at 66kV sub-station at Chikkamagaluru,** Chikkamagaluru taluk, Chikkamgaluru district. Category: **II(A).**

12).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2709 for Repairs and Maintenance to **Division office building in KPTCL colony Chikkamagaluru** in Chikkamagaluru district. Category: **I(A).**

13). KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2710 for Repairs and Maintenance to control room building at 110kV sub-station at **Shivani in Ajjampura taluk**, Chikkamgaluru district. Category: **Others.**

14).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2711 for Construction of **open drain at KPTCL Colony, Hiriyadka** in D.K.district. Category: **Others**.

15). KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2608 for Construction of **2 Nos. of Baffle walls at 110/33/11 kV Sub-station, B.C. Road, Bantwala** taluk, Dakshina Kannada district. Category: **II(A).**

16).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2712 for Construction of **concrete road to 110kV sub-station at Soraba** in Shivamogga district. Category: **SC.**

17).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2713 for Providing RCC wall for protection of the tower location **No.6 of 110kV JST 1 & 2 JLT 3&4 Multi circuit line of Jog transmission section in TLSD, Jog falls limits under 400kV station & SSM Division, Talgupppa.** Category: **Others.**

18).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2714 for Construction of open well with water supply arrangement at 110kV station **Halady** in D.K. district. Category: **Others.**

19).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2716 for Closure of the cable duct below the 315MVA transformer beds at **400kV station Talaguppa in Sagara taluk** in Shivamogga district. Category: **SC.**

20).KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2717 for Construction of store room for **Belur TLM section at KPTCL colony** Belur in Belur taluk, Hassan district.Category: **ST.**

21). KPTCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT2718 for Construction of store room for **Arasikere TLM section at 220kV receiving station premises Arasikere** in Arasikere taluk, Hassan district.Category: **ST.**

22). KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2600 for Construction of cement concrete road for the movement of cranes at **110kV station, Hiriyadka.** Category: **II(A).**

23).KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2603 for Repairs to open drain at **220kV station, MSEZ, Bajpe.** Category: **Others.**

The bids will be received through electronic tendering mode only. The details regarding participation in the e-tendering process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website: **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink **"E Procurement KPTCL"** or **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **24.09.2025 @ 15:00hrs.** Any extension of due date for bid submission will be intimated in the Karnataka Public Procurement portal. Any details required in this regard can also have from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Any corrigendum/Addendums shall be noticed to the bidders before the last date of submission of the bids through e-portal.

Sd/- Chief Engineer(Elec.,),
Transmission (Operations) Zone, KPTCL, Prasarana Bhavan, 3rd Floor, Santhepete, B.M.Road, Hassan - 573201.

Government of Karnataka
Department of School Education

Karnataka School Quality Assessment and Accreditation Council (Reg.)

1st Floor, KSEAB, 6th cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore – 560003
Ph No: 23341615, 23562283, e-mail:ksqaacbangalore@gmail.com
No: KSEAB/DPIE/KSQ2(NNOT)/1/2025-KSQAAC Date: 19.09.2025

e-TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Executive Director, K.S.Q.A.A.C, here by invites e-Tender from eligible bidders for the Printing, Overprinting and Supply of OMR, Adhesive Covers (Supply to 34 district DIET) and Scanning, Editing, Processing of OMR, Report Generation for NMMS Exam- 2025-26 as per KTPP Act-1999, through e-procurement portal only. e-Tender document may be downloaded from **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** Tender commences on **22.09.2025** and The last date for submission **08.10.2025 at 4-30 PM,** Pre-bid meeting on **25.09.2025 at 11.30 AM,** Date of opening technical bid is **10.10.2025, 11.30 AM,** The commercial bid will be opened on **13.10.2025, 11.30 AM.** Approximate value of this tender is **Rs.19,05,000/-** and The EMD is **Rs.38,100/-.**

Sd/- Executive Director, K.S.Q.A.A.C.

Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Limited

(A Joint Venture of GoI & GoK)
Metro Rail Depot, Old Madras Road, Near NGEF Bus Stop, Baiyappanahalli , Bengaluru - 560 038. Ph: 080-25191039
e-mail: contactus@bmrc.co.in Website: www.bmrc.co.in

Bid No.: BMRCL/2025-26/BG/WORK_INDENT113 Date: 22.09.2025

TENDER NOTIFICATION

BMRCL invites tenders from eligible Tenderers for "Waterproofing Treatment and Other allied works for viaduct at track level within station limits of Rech-1 section (Swami Vivekananda Road to Mahatma Gandhi Road)". Estimated Cost: **INR 74.34 Lakhs**. Tender Security Amount: **Rs 1,48,691/-.** The works details can be obtained from the procurement website. The Tender documents can be obtained and submitted **on or before 23.10.2025 up to 15:00 hrs.** Further details can be obtained from website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact this office during office working Hours.

Sd/- Executive Director (O & M)

Before the National Company Law Tribunal, Bengaluru Bench
Company Petition (IB) No. 99 of 2025

NOTICE OF PETITION

A petition under section 7 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016, for initiation of corporate insolvency resolution process against Kristal Projects (India) Limited bearing CP (IB) No. 99 of 2025, was presented by Omkara Assets Reconstruction Private Limited (acting in its capacity as a Trustee of Omkara PS 10/2022-23 Trust) ("**Petitioner/ Financial Creditor**") on the 2nd day of September 2025, and the said petition is fixed for hearing before the National Company Law Tribunal, Bengaluru Bench on **October 15, 2025**. Any person desirous of supporting or opposing the said petition should send to the petitioner's advocate, notice of his intention, signed by him or his advocate, with his name and address, so as to reach the petitioner's advocate not later than 'two days before the date fixed for the hearing of the petition'. Where he seeks to oppose the petition, the grounds of opposition or a copy of his affidavit shall be furnished with such notice. A copy of the petition will be furnished by the undersigned to any person requiring the same on payment of the prescribed charges for the same.

September 23, 2025
Sd/-
Advocate Bhavya Mohan,
Argus Partners (Solicitors and Advocates)
Advocate for Petitioner / Financial Creditor
20th Floor, SKAV 909, Lavelle Road,
Bengaluru, Karnataka 560001
bhavya.mohan@argus-p.com

BENGALURU METROPOLITAN TRANSPORT CORPORATION

CENTRAL OFFICE: STORES & PURCHASE DEPARTMENT
K.H. ROAD, SHANTHINAGAR, BENGALURU-560 027
NO: BMTC/CO/COSP/TENDER/09/2025-26 Date: 22.09.2025

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

B.M.T.C invites tender for procurement of the following Goods & Services through KPP Portal:

Sl. No.	Tender No.	Description	Last Date for Bid Submission in KPP Portal
Regular Tender			
01	BMTC/2025-26/IND0228	Supply, Installation, Commissioning and maintenance of motion based light motor vehicle simulators.	08.10.2025 at 17:00 Hrs.
02	BMTC/2025-26/IND0229	Procurement of LED Roof Lamp Assembly	08.10.2025 at 17:00 Hrs.
03	BMTC/2025-26/IND0230	Procurement of Automotive Lubricants.	23.10.2025 at 17:00 Hrs.
Corrigendum: The last date & time for submission of tender in kpp portal is extended as under.			
04	BMTC/2024-25/IND0189	Procurement of Aluminium Extrusions	08.10.2025 at 17:00 Hrs.

The above mentioned tender details can be obtained from **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.** Further, any addendum/corrigendum in respect of change in calendar of events, specification, other tender terms and conditions etc. will be uploaded /published through kpp portal only.
Note: Interested Bidders need to register in the e-procurement portal. For further information visit BMTC Central Office or Log on to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- CONTROLLER OF STORES & PURCHASES
(Tender Inviting Authority)

Government of Karnataka

Panchayath Raj Engineering Department Office of the Executive Engineer, Hassan Division Hassan.

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION NO -14/2025-26 Dated : 22.09.2025

The tender are invited by the Executive Engineer, Panchayath Raj Engineering Division Hassan on be-half of the Governor of Karnataka through KPPP portal for the following Package works are 1) INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19071-Tender Amount-83.80 lakhs, 2) INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19060 - Tender Amount 82.73 lakhs, 3) INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19077-Tender Amount 82.89 lakhs, 4) INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19082-Tender Amount 83.92 lakhs, 5)INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19080-Tender Amount 83.83 lakhs, 6) INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19084-Tender Amount 83.96 lakhs, 7)INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19083-Tender Amount 84.01 lakhs, 8)INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19073-Tender Amount 83.88 lakhs, 9) INDENT NO:RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT19076 -Tender Amount 82.75 lakhs which are sanctioned under the head of account of 2024-25TH 5054 FLOOD The work details are available in the www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in portal. THE IMPORTANT DATES ARE AS FOLLOWS Last Date & Time for Tender Queries/Clarifications 26.09.2025 16.00 hours Last Date & Time for receipt of tenders 29.09.2025 16.00 hours Date & Time for Opening of Technical Bid 30.09.2025 16.05 hours Date & Time for Opening of Financial Bid After approval of Technical bid

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sd/- Executive Engineer, P.R.E.Division, Hassan.

VYSYA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.,

Administrative Office: Dr.Sri Sri ShivakumaraSwamiji Circle, B.H.Road, Tumkur-572102,
Ph: 0816-2279934, E-Mail: vcbltkr@gmail.com, ao@vcbltkr.com
Branch Office at: B V K IYENGAR ROAD BRANCH, No.349, "Komarla Towers", 2nd Floor, OTC Road, Balepete Circle, Chickpet, Bengaluru - 560053. Ph: 080-22389263, E-Mail:bvk@vcbltkr.com

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

Where as the Bank acting through its Chief Executive Officer / Authorised Officer, in exercise of its powers under Section 13(4) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (SARFAESI) has decided to put up for E-Auction the Schedule property for realization of the debts due to the Bank, upon the following terms and conditions:

Conditions of E-Auction

a) E-Auction is being on **"As is where is" and "What is there is"** and the Bank is not responsible for title, condition or any other fact affecting the property.
b) The E-auction will take place through portal **- https://bankauctions.in** at the Date and Time as mentioned below:-
c) The intending tenderer/bidder shall deposit with the Authorised Officer/ Chief Executive Officer an amount equivalent to 10% of reserve price by way of Earnest Money Deposit in the account of, **Vysya Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Tumkuru (AXIS Bank, Tumkur Branch by Demand Draft or NEFT/RTGS to Axis Bank, Tumkur Current Account No.343010200006460. And IFSC Code-UTIB0000343)** at the Date and Time as mentioned below at the same time bidder has to submit the e-bid form available on **https://bankauctions.in** before the date and time mentioned below and shall obtain written receipt thereof from the branch/ Authorised Officer/ Chief Executive Officer.
d) Bidder should have valid digital signature certificate (Class- ii/iii) to participate in the e-auction. For details with regards to digital signature, registration and training may please contact **M/s 4Closure, Hyderabad. Contact Details: 08142000061/66 and +91-9515160061 (Bengaluru) Email ID: info@bankauctions.in and subbarao@bankauctions.in, lokesh@bankauctions.in.**
e) The particulars specified in Schedule have been stated to the best of information of the Bank and the Bank will not be answerable for any error, mis-statement or omission.
f) For the reasons recorded, it shall be in the EMD submitted by bidders and the Bank would not entertain any claim or any representation in that regard from the bidders.
g) The person declared to be the successful bidder shall deposit 25% (twenty five percent) of sale price, less EMD deposited immediately and remaining amount shall be paid within 15 days from the date of auction. In case of failure to adhere any payment schedule, the amount paid will be forfeited and Authorise Officer will be at liberty to cancel the auction and conduct fresh auction.
h) On receipt of the entire sale consideration the Authorised Officer shall issue the Sale Certificate and the sale shall be complete thereafter and the Bank shall entertain no claims.
I) Noting in this notice constitutes or will be deemed to constitute any commitment or representation on the part of the Bank to sell the property. Bank reserves the right to cancel the sale for any reason it may deem fit or even without assigning any reason and such cancellation shall not be called in question by the bidders.

1. Name and address of the Borrower and Guarantor/Co-Obligant: 1. Sri. K M Nagappa, Aged about 78 years, S/o Late Muniswamy, **2. Sri. Govindappa ,** Aged about 52 years, S/o K M Nagappa, **3. Sri. Vasanthappa,** Aged about 50 years, S/o K M Nagappa, **4) Smt. Sangeetha,** Aged about 48 years, W/o Sri. Govindappa, **5) Smt. V Suma,** Aged about 45 years, W/o Sri. Vasanthappa, **All are residing at :** No.8 & 9, 10th Cross, Basavanapura, K R Puram, Bengaluru – 560036.**6) Sri. Prabhakar Rao,** Aged about 67 years, S/o Late N Nagesh Rao, **7) Smt. Padmavathi ,** Aged about 62 years, W/o Prabhakar Rao, **8) Sri. P Srinag,** Aged about 34 years, S/o Prabhakar Rao, **All are residing at :** No.1, DRDO Quarters, Phase I, Sri. C V Raman Nagar, Bengaluru - 560036. **9) Sri. N.Santhosh Kumar,** Aged about 45 years, S/o Sri. R.Natarajan, No.13/35/1, 1st Main Road, Ward No.152, 11th Cross, Near Rama Temple, Madivala, Bengaluru – 560068.

The secured debt for the recovery of which the movable/immovable secured asset is to be sold: Ac/No. 1008045000224 Rs.1,94,46,298/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety Four Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Eight Only) as on **31.08.2025** and further interest and other charges from **01.09.2025** to till date and Legal Charges thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property: ITEM NO.1: All that part and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.8 & 9, Khatha No.219/A/6/1/8-9, situated at Basavanapura Main Road, Devasandra, K R Puram, Bengaluru East Taluk, formerly under the jurisdiction of the K R Puram, CMC, Bengaluru now coming within the administrative jurisdiction of the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, having BBMP Khatha No.219/A/6/1/8-9 measuring East to West: 29.9 + 31/2 feet and North to South: 60 feet totally measuring 1827 Sq. ft., which stands in the names of Sri. Govindappa & Sri. Vasanthappa and bounded as follows:

East by: 22 feet Road, West by: Private Property, North by: House Site No.10, South by: Property belongs to the Vendor.

ITEM NO.2: All that part and parcel of the Property bearing Site No.8, carved out of property bearing No.6/1, Khatha No.219/A/6/1/8-9, situated at Basavanapura Main Road, Devasandra, K R Puram, Bengaluru East Taluk, formerly under the jurisdiction of the K R Puram, CMC, Bengaluru now coming within the administrative jurisdiction of the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, having BBMP Khatha No.219/A/6/1/8-9 measuring East to West: 31+ 31.3/2 feet and North to South: 20 feet totally measuring 623 Sq. ft., which stands in the names of Sri. K M Nagappa and bounded as follows: East by : 22 feet Road, West by : Private Property, North by : Portion of Site No.8 and 9, South by : Property belongs to Govindappa & Vasanthappa.

Reserve Price : Rs.3,00,00,000/- EMD Price : Rs.30,00,000/-
Date & Time of auction : 09.10.2025 at 11:30 am to 12:30 pm (with 10 min unlimited auto extensions)

Last date for submission of EMD & e-Bid Form : On or before 08.10.2025 before 4.30 PM.
E auction website - https://bankauctions.in, Increment value Rs.1,00,000/- & such multiples

Contact Persons: Chief Executive Officer: Ph: 0816-2279934, 080-41471670, OR
Mr. Shivashankar A Mob: 9480401348 (M/s Supreme Enforcement Services)

Date: 19.09.2025
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer / Chief Executive Officer
Vysya Co-operative Bank Ltd., A.O. Office, B.H.Road, Tumkur.

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killed in blast at TTP compound in northwest Pakistan

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • LS: Light Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	29	19	SNY	Los Angeles	32	19	SNY
Colombo	29	25	TDS	Melbourne	17	5	LC
Dhaka	33	25	TDS	Moscow	28	13	SNY
Dubai	44	28	SNY	New York	26	15	SNY
Houston	30	23	TDS	Singapore	32	25	TDS
Istanbul	33	21	SNY	Toronto	23	13	SNY
London	20	13	SNY	Washington	26	14	SNY

Amid widening political divide in US, Trump declares he hates opponents

WASHINGTON

Trump embraces Erika Kirk, the widow of Charlie Kirk | AP

SPEAKING to a crowd of tens of thousands at a memorial for Charlie Kirk, Donald Trump openly admitted he "hates" his political opponents—a stark contrast to the message of forgiveness expressed by Kirk's widow toward the man accused of killing her husband.

Quoting Kirk, Trump said: "I'm not here to fight them – I want to know them and love them." However, Trump quickly distanced himself from that sentiment, adding: "That's where I disagreed with Charlie. I hate my opponents, and I don't wish them well. I'm sorry."

Erika Kirk, the 36-year-old widow of slain right-wing activist Charlie, said she forgives the man accused of killing him, as she delivered a deeply religious speech at a memorial event Sunday for her deceased husband. "My husband Charlie, he wanted to save young men just like the one who took his life," she told the crowd of more than 60,000 attendees, including US President Donald Trump, at a packed stadium in the southwestern state of Arizona.

"That man, that young man. I forgive him," Kirk said, her voice choking.

"I forgive him because it was what Christ did. And it's what Charlie would do," she continued. "The answer to hate is not hate." Charlie Kirk, 31, was shot and killed on September 10 during a public debate event at a Utah university campus.

The activist used his millions of social media followers, the massive audience of his podcast and appearances at universities to bolster Trump with young voters and fight for a nationalist, Christian-centric political ideology.

Authorities say the suspected shooter, 22-year-old Tyler Robinson, justified the attack by citing the "hatred" he accused Kirk of spreading, according to investigators.

More pressure on Israel as France to join UK in recognising Palestine

UNITED NATIONS

FRANCE and other countries prepared to recognise a Palestinian state as the United Nation's centerpiece diplomatic week got underway on Monday, following a rash of Western governments in symbolically endorsing statehood and sparking Israel's wrath.

Recognition by Britain, Canada, Australia and Portugal on Sunday of a Palestinian state piled pressure on Israel as it intensifies its war in Gaza, which has killed tens of thousands, devastated the enclave and drawn vocal rebukes from its allies. President Emmanuel Macron has indicated France will follow suit Monday as he prepares to host a meeting with Saudi Arabia's Crown Prince Mohamed Bin Salman on the moribund two-state solution—Palestinian and Israeli coexistence.

"They want a nation, they want a state, and we should not push them towards Hamas," said Sunday, adding that the move would help isolate the armed group. He also said he would make the release of hostages taken by Hamas during its October 7, 2023, attack on Israel a precondition of opening an embassy to the Palestinian state. Israel's foreign ministry said the recognition moves do not "promote peace, but on the contrary further destabilises the region and undermines the chances of achieving a peaceful solution."More than 140 world leaders will descend on New York this week for the annual United Nations General Assembly, which will be dominated by the Palestinian question. One world leader who will miss the gathering is Mahmud Abbas, the Palestinian president whom Washington denied a visa, along with his officials.

That earned a rebuke from the General Assembly, which will be the focus of world leaders' speeches and protest walkouts this week. The assembly voted 145 to five to exceptionally allow Abbas to speak via video link. *AFP*

People attend a Palestinian flag-raising ceremony outside the Palestine Mission to the UK, in west London on Monday | AFP

WAR WATCH
ISRAEL-GAZA: DAY 717

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Israel orders evacuation of Gaza City hosp

GAZA CITY

ISRAELI forces showed no signs of relenting on their new ground offensive in Gaza City on Monday as world leaders gathered in New York for the United Nations General Assembly and more countries prepared to join the surge of nations recognising a Palestinian state.

Hundreds of thousands have remained in the city, the territory's largest and already in ruins from nearly two years of war and struggling with famine. The Israeli military ordered the evacuation on Monday of the Jordanian Hospital, a key health clinic, a Palestinian health official said.

The latest Israeli operation, which started last Tuesday, further escalates a conflict that has roiled the Middle East and likely pushes any ceasefire farther out of reach.

The Israeli military, which says it wants to "destroy Hamas' military infrastructure," hasn't given a timeline for the offensive, but there were indications it could take months. *AP*

Guides told to learn foreign languages

The tourism department is encouraging tour guides to become proficient in at least three foreign languages to enhance service quality for foreign tourists, *The Malaysia Star* reported. Minister Datuk Seri Tiong King Sing emphasised that forreign language skills are key to helping visitors fully appreciate Malaysia's attractions.

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
GREATER CHENNAI POLICE
TENDER NOTICE
C.No.MPF.1/14584/2025, Dated: 18.09.2025
e-tenders are invited for the supply of following Two Cover System

Request for proposal for the purchase of BDDS equipments for Security Chennai Police, Greater Chennai Police.	EMD Amount: INR.3,99,310/-

Tender publishing date and time : **23.09.2025 at 10.00 hrs.,**
Tender last date and time of submission : **08.10.2025 up to 14.00 hrs.,**
Bid document will be available in website **https://tntenders.gov.in**
Tender opening date and time : **08.10.2025 at 16.00 hrs.,**
Deputy Commissioner of Police, Administration, Greater Chennai Police, (Tender Inviting Authority)
DIPR/5284/Tender/2025

Britain weighs waiving visa fees to attract global talent

LONDON

THE UK government is looking at bolstering a drive to attract global talent with a possible visa fee waiver to support the world's top science and tech talent relocation to the country, a media report said on Monday.

The Global Talent Taskforce, backed up by a 54-million-pound Global Talent Fund launched earlier this year, is revving up further to lure international experts, including Indians, even as the US announced a clampdown on its H-1B visas used by global techies, according to a *Financial Times* report.

The taskforce, which reports directly to Prime Minister Keir Starmer and Chancellor Rachel Reeves, works across 10 Downing Street and the UK Treasury to explore ways to boost the UK's economic growth.

"We're kicking around the idea of cutting (visa) costs to zero," the newspaper quoted a government official as saying. "We're talking about the sort of people who have attended the world's top five universities or have won prestigious prizes," the official said.

It comes as President Donald Trump's order imposing a $100,000 one-off application fee on all new H-1B visa applications came into force on Sunday. The visa is used overwhelmingly by American tech majors, with Indians among the largest recipients.

The UK operates a Global Talent Visa system, which is often perceived as heavily bureaucratic and led to Starmer launching his taskforce back in June. "The launch of the Taskforce and 54-million-pound Global Talent Fund, which will attract world-class researchers and their teams to the UK, covering relocation and research costs over five years starting this year, sends a clear signal to exceptional talent and businesses that the UK seeks to continue its global leadership in growth-driving sectors," the UK's Department for Science, Innovation and Technology (DSIT) said in a statement. *PTI*

EXPRESS READ

Russia to stick to N-arms limits for one more year

Moscow: Russia's President Vladimir Putin said Monday that Moscow will adhere to nuclear arms limits for one more year under the last remaining nuclear pact with the United States that expires in February and urged Washington to follow suit. Putin said that the termination of the 2010 New START would have negative consequences for global stability and could fuel proliferation of nuclear weapons.

Kim wants to resume diplomacy with US

Seoul: North Korean leader Kim Jong Un says he still has good memories of US President Donald Trump and urged Washington to drop its demand the North surrender nukes as a precondition for resuming diplomacy. Speaking to Pyongyang's rubber-stamp parliament, Kim stressed he has no intention of ever resuming dialogue with rival South Korea that helped broker Kim's previous summits with Trump.

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E- AUCTION SALE NOTICE (Sale through e-bidding only)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

The Authorised Officer of **HDFC Bank Limited** (erstwhile HDFC Limited having amalgamated with HDFC Bank Limited by virtue of a Scheme of Amalgamation approved by Hon'ble NCLT-Mumbai vide order dated 17th March 2023) (HDFC) issues E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) indicated in Column (A) that the below described immovable property(ties) described in Column (C) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive / physical possession of which has been taken as described in column (D) by the Authorised Officer of **HDFC Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** as per the details mentioned below :
Notice is hereby given to Borrower / Mortgagor(s) / legal heirs, legal representatives (whether known or unknown), executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s) and assign(s) of the respective Borrower(s) / Mortgagor(s)(since deceased), as the case may be, indicated in **Column (A) under Rule 8(6)** of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in Secured Creditor's **website i.e. www.hdfcbank.com**

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D &E)	(F&G)
Sl No	Name/s of Borrower(s)/ Mortgager(s)/ Guarantor(s)/	Outstanding dues to be recovered (Secured Debt) (Rs.)*	Description of the Immovable Property / Secured Asset (1 Sq. mtr. is equivalent to 10.76 Sq.ft)	Date of Auction and Time ---------- Type of Possession	Reserve Price (Rs.) ---------- Earnest Money Deposit (Rs)
1	Mr. Ahuja Ujjwal (Borrower)	Loan A/c Nos: (1) 688639018 Rs.47,93,814/- (2) 689719317 Rs. 1,61,987/- Total Amount Rs. 49,55,801/- (Rupees Forty Nine Lakhs Fifty Five Thousand Eight Hundred One Only) as on 31.07.2024.	**Schedule A :** All that piece and parcel of Converted property bearing **Sy.No.13,** Converted Vide., Order No.B.DIS.ALN.SR.(NA)16/2005-06, dated 02-01-2006 passed by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, situated at Chikkabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk presently within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP measuring 0-13 Guntas (East to West 170 Feet and North to South 75 Feet plus 1234 Square Feet totally measuring **14,000 Square Feet**) and bounded on the **East by :** Property belongs to Smt. Shaheen Banu., **West by :** Property belongs to Mr. D.Selvaraj and others, **North by :** Road and Private Property, **South by :** Private Property. **Schedule B :** Residential Flat bearing **Flat No.208**, in the Second Floor of the building known as **"PROSPERHOMES BLISS"** constructed on Schedule 'A' property with super built up area of **1028.38 Sq.ft,** together with **255.08Sq.ft** of undivided share of the land comprised in Schedule "A" Property, containing Two bed room, along with one car parking.	31.10.2025 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---------- Physical	Rs.58,00,000/- [Rupees Fifty Eight Lakhs Only] ---------- Rs.5,80,000/- [Rupees Five Lakhs Eighty Thousand Only]
2	Mr. Arya Anshu (Borrower)	Loan A/c Nos: (1) 686791130 Rs.58,27,614/- (2) 687475247 Rs. 50,967/- Total Amount Rs. 58,78,581/- (Rupees Fifty Eight Lakhs Seventy Eight Thousand Five Hundred Eighty One Only) as on 31.07.2024	**Schedule A :** All that piece and parcel of Converted property bearing **Sy.No.13,** Converted Vide., Order No.B.DIS.ALN.SR.(NA)16/2005-06, dated 02-01-2006 passed by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, situated at Chikkabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk presently within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP measuring 0-13 Guntas (East to West 170 Feet and North to South 75 Feet plus 1234 Square Feet totally measuring 14,000 Square Feet) and bounded on the **East by :** Property belongs to Smt. Shaheen Banu, **West by :** Property belongs to Mr. D.Selvaraj and others, **North by :** Road and Private Property, **South by :** Private Property. **Schedule B :** Residential Flat bearing **Flat No.107**, in the FIRST FLOOR of the building known as **"PROSPERHOMES BLISS"** constructed on Schedule A' property with super built up area of **1167.72 Sq.ft,** together with 289.89 Sft of undivided share of the land comprised in Schedule "A" Property, containing Two bed room, along with one car parking.	31.10.2025 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---------- Physical	Rs.67,50,000/- [Rupees Sixty Seven Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only] ---------- Rs.6,75,000/- [Rupees Six Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand Only]
3	Mr. Kumar Dinesh (Borrower)	Loan A/c Nos: (1) 686797820 Rs.50,72,852/- (2) 687509886 Rs. 98,309/- Total Amount Rs. 51,71,161/- (Rupees Fifty One Lakhs Seventy One Thosand One Hundred Sixty One Only) as on 31.07.2024	**Schedule A :** All that piece and parcel of Converted property bearing **Sy.No.13,** Converted Vide., Order No.B.DIS.ALN.SR.(NA)16/2005-06, dated 02-01-2006 passed by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, situated at Chikkabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk presently within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP measuring 0-13 Guntas (East to West 170 Feet and North to South 75 Feet plus 1234 Square Feet totally measuring 14,000 Square Feet) and bounded on the : East by : Property belongs to Smt. Shaheen Banu, West by :Property belongs to Mr. D.Selvaraj and others, North by : Road and Private Property, South by : Private Property. **Schedule B :** Residential Flat bearing **Flat No.007,** in the Ground Floor of the building known as **"PROSPERHOMES BLISS"** constructed on Schedule A' property with super built up area of **979.34 Sq.ft,** together with **242.91 Sq.ft** of undivided share of the land comprised in Schedule "A" Property, containing Two bed room, along with one car parking.	31.10.2025 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---------- Physical	Rs.58,00,000/- [Rupees Fifty Eight Lakhs Only] ---------- Rs.5,80,000/- [Rupees Five Lakhs Eighty Thousand Only]
4	Mr. Mandla Ramakoti (Borrower)	Loan A/c Nos: 683960832 Rs.42,42,921/- (Rupees Forty Two Lakhs Forty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty One Only) as on 31.07.2024	**Schedule A :** All that piece and parcel of Converted property bearing **Sy.No.13,** Converted Vide., Order No.B.DIS.ALN.SR.(NA)16/2005-06, dated 02-01-2006 passed by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, situated at Chikkabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk presently within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP measuring 0-13 Guntas (East to West 170 Feet and North to South 75 Feet plus 1234 Square Feet totally measuring 14,000 Square Feet) and bounded on the: **East by :** Property belongs to Smt. Shaheen Banu, **West by :** Property belongs to Mr. D.Selvaraj and others, **North by :** Road and Private Property, **South by :** Private Property. **Schedule B :** Residential Flat bearing **Flat No.110,** in the First Floor of the building known as **"PROSPERHOMES BLISS"** constructed on Schedule 'A' property with super built up area of **1032.39 Sq.ft,** together with **256.07 Sq.ft** containing Two bed room, along with one car parking with undivided share of the land comprised in Schedule "A" Property.	31.10.2025 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---------- Physical	Rs.55,00,000/- [Rupees Fifty Five Lakhs Only] ---------- Rs.5,50,000/- [Rupees Five Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only]

1. Inspection Date & Time: 17.10.2025 and 24.10.2025 between 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM.
2. Minimum bid increment amount: Rs. 35,000/-
3. EMD Amount Submission on or before : 29.10.2025 (Before 5.00 PM)
***with further interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc incurred till the date of payment and / or realization. The Online auction will be conducted on the web site https://www.disposalhub.com of our auction agency M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited.**
For any assistance related to inspection of the property, or for obtaining the Bid document and for any other queries, please get in touch with Mr.Yogesh.N / Shridhar Chinni official of HDFC Bank Limited through Tel No.080-41182283, 080-41182126 / 9449080072 / 7795853045. To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer of HDFC Bank Ltd, There are builder dues, Tax & Khata Charges as applicable to complate the Sale transaction.

Date : 22.09.2025
Place: Bengaluru
For HDFC Bank Ltd.
Sd/- Authorized Officer of HDFC Bank Ltd. under SARFAESI Act, 2002

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank (A Government of India Undertaking)
Regional Office Bengaluru West Chitrapur Mutt Complex, Malleshwaram 15th Cross, Bengaluru-560055

POSSESSION NOTICE (SECTION 13(4)) (For Immovable Property) [Rule-8(1)]

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Regional Office, Bengaluru West Branch** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **21.02.2025** calling upon the Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors,**1. Mr Anbarasu D** S/o Late Mr P M Doraiswamy, Flat No F 04, Mile Stone Living Aprt 4th Main, 4th Block, 9th Cross, HBR Layout, Bengaluru-560043. **1a. Mr Anbarasu D** S/o Late Mr P M Doraiswamy, No 2, 3rd Cross, Aralimara Road, Banaswadi, Bengaluru-560097. **1b.Mr Anbarasu D** S/o Late Mr P M Doraiswamy, No 235/1, 2nd Floor, Barani Nilaya New No 13, 3rd Cross, Mamatha Traders, Subbannapalya, Banaswadi, Maruthi Savanagar, Bengaluru-560033. **2. Mrs. Deepa Anbarasu** W/o Mr. Anbarasu D No 703/2, A K Colony, Opp Little Robin School, Frazer Town, Bengaluru-560 005. **2a. Mrs. Deepa Anbarasu** W/o Mr. Anbarasu D, No 235/1, 2nd Floor, Barani Nilaya New No 13, 3rd Cross, Mamatha Traders, Subbannapalya, Banaswadi, Maruthi Savanagar, Bengaluru-560033. to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.30,92,609.52 (Rupees Thirty Lakhs Ninety Two Thousand Six Hundred and Nine and Fifty Two Paise Only)** as on **Date 21.02.2025** and interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice,
The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **20th day of September 2025.**
The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Canara Bank for an amount **Rs.30,92,609.52 (Rupees Thirty Lakhs Ninety Two Thousand Six Hundred and Nine and Fifty Two Paise Only)** as on **date 21.02.2025** and interest thereon.
The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable Property:
Name of the title holder : Mr Anbarasu D and Mrs. Deepa Anbarasu.
Details of Immovable Security Assets : SCHEDULE A PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the Northern and Middle portion of the Site and building bearing Site No 3, New BBMP No 471/50/13/3, Assessment No 50/13, Khata No 354, HBR Ward No. 24 situated at Hennur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore measuring on the Eastern Side 94 feet, on the Western Side 85 feet, Northern Side 65 feet and Southern Side 52 feet in all measuring 5321 Sqft and bounded as follows: East by : Site No 2, West by Road, North by Road, Southy by: Remaning portion of Site No 3 belonging to Smt N Tanuja.
SCHEDULE B PROPERTY: An undivided 299.61 Sq feet of share, right, title and interest and ownership in the Schedule A property.
SCHEDULE C PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the Two Bedrooms Residential Apartment Flat bearing No F 04 on the First Floor, in the Multistoried Apartment known as "MILESTONE LIVING" with a super built up area of 1235 Sqft with One covered car parking space in the basement and the construction comprising of RCC roofing, solid blocks walls, vitrified tiles flooring, flush doors and aluminium shutters constructed on the Schedule "A" Property and bounded on the East by: Flat No F-01, West by: Road, North by: Road, South by: Flat No F 03.

Date : 20.09.2025
Place : Bengaluru
Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

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Dodakkanahalli Branch
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Phone: 9653619921, E-Mail Id: ubin0819921@unionbankofindia.bank

POSSESSION NOTICE
Under Rule 8(1), (For immovable Property)

1.Sri.Gopal Lal Bajiya, Address 1: No.16/2, 3rd cross, Near Sai Baba Temple, Nandinin Layout, Kanteerava Nagar,Bangalore-560096
Address 2: Ward No. 05, Bajiyan Ki Dhani, Nehru Nagar, Hudil, Didwana Kuchaman,Nagaur- 341509 (Rajasthan)
2. Kani Devi , Address 1: No.16/2, 3rd cross, Near Sai Baba Temple, Nandinin Layout, Kanteerava Nagar,Bangalore-560096
Address 2: Ward No. 05, Bajiyan Ki Dhani, Nehru Nagar, Hudil, Didwana Kuchaman Nagaur- 341509 (Rajasthan)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **Union Bank of India, Dodakkanahalli Branch** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement Security Interest (Second) Act, 2002 (Act No. 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **03-06-2025** calling upon the above said borrower/s to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.2,16,13,543.17/-** (Rupees Two crores sixteen lakhs thirteen thousand five hundred forty-three paise seventeenonly) as on 02-06-2023 with interest and other applicable charges from time to time as per the agreement within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said rules on this **19th day of September the year 2025.**
The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Union Bank of India, Dodakkanahalli Branch, for an amount **Rs.2,16,13,543.17/-** (Rupees Two crores sixteen lakhs thirteen thousand five hundred forty-three paise seventeen only) as on 02-06-2025 and interest thereon.
The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of the time available to the borrower to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Immovable Property
All that piece and parcel of Property bearing No.7/12C, (Old House List Khatha No. 106/B) situated at Horamavu Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now comes under the Jurisdiction of BBMP Limits of Ward No.25, Bangalore and measuring East to West: 50 Feet and North to South : 80 Feet in all measuring 4,000 Sqft and bounded as follows: East by : Road and others Property, West by : Patel Shamanna Property, North by : Y Munirajappa Property, South by :Patel Shamanna Property.

Date: 19.09.2025
Place: Bangalore
Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India

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Market Watch

MARKET		GOLD		SILVER		FOREX	
466.26 ▼	Sensex 82,159.97	₹920 ▲	24 carat (10 gm) ₹113,220	₹3,000 ▲	1 kg ₹138,000	▼	Dollar 88.14
124.70 ▼	Nifty 25,202.35	₹850 ▲	22 carat (10 gm) ₹103,800	₹30 ▲	10 gm ₹1380	▼	Euro 103.49

● Revamped tax regime prompts cos to rework pricing strategies ● E-comm platforms highlight price differences between old & new rates

Businesses gear up to keep pace with festive demand

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

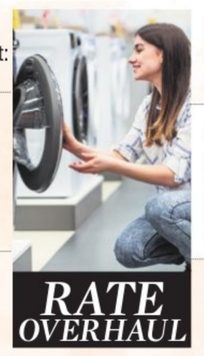
FRANTIC last-minute preparations on Monday marked the day for manufacturers and retailers – be it of white goods, textiles, FMCG or footwear – as they rolled out the sale of goods under new GST rates. Companies were seen gearing up to align their operations to keep pace with the surge in consumer demand.

The revamped tax regime has prompted firms to rework pricing strategies, strengthen supply chains, and take measures to address growing demand during the festive season. Industry leaders see demand to accelerate. While absolute sales numbers are hard to come early, the trend indicates huge pent-up purchases were made on Monday. Consumers had postponed purchases waiting for the lower GST rates to come into effect.

"At Godrej Consumer, we have been working through night to get ourselves ready for transition, and we started issuing first invoices this morning. I expect to see improvements in volumes going into festive season, driven by reduction in GST and additional income it puts in the hands of consumers," said Sudhir Sitapati, MD & CEO, Godrej Consumer. & Chairman, CII National Committee on FMCG.

Both online platforms and offline stores are boosting stock, expanding warehousing, and hiring additional sales and delivery staff to manage higher footfalls. White goods companies anticipate an uptick in appliance sales during festive period, with some preparing for quick price adjustments. "We are updating MRP labels across our products to ensure compliance. Currently, we have about 25,000 pieces in stock, and all of them are being relabelled in line with new requirement. This way, there will be no disruption in supply or compliance," said Devita Saraf, founder, chairperson & CEO, the Vu Group.

Companies have been putting out ads and posters to ensure consumers are aware of the new rates. "To ensure transparency, Nestlé India has communicated benefits through announcements in national and regional newspapers. These changes have been communicated to wholesalers, distributors, and retailers," says Manish Tiwary, Chairman and MD of Nestlé India. Analysts expect GST 2.0 to drive a shift in consumer behaviour, with unbranded or loose products losing ground to branded goods as tax differential narrows. Lower compliance burdens are drawing smaller businesses into formal economy. "Previously, local businesses opted out for GST registration and used to run their businesses in informal set-up by making certain adjustments with local authorities. But with rates coming down, even small players are formalising their business set-up and they will surely get a boost during this festive season," said Anirban Basu, founder of consultancy Boiling Point 212.



AGRICULTURE
Machinery/Equipment: 12% ➔ 5%

HEALTHCARE
Medicines: 5% (concessional; some nil-rated)
Medical Devices/ Instruments: 5%

OPTICALS
Spectacles (vision-correcting): 2%/18% ➔ 5%

ELECTRONICS & APPLIANCES
TVs & Monitors: Uniform
Air conditioner & dishwashers 18%

LIFESTYLE SERVICES:
BEAUTY & WELLNESS (SALONS, GYMS, YOGA, BARBERS, FITNESS CENTRES): 18% ➔ 5% (NO ITC)

ENTERTAINMENT & BETTING
Lottery, Casinos, Horse Racing: Admission to sporting events: 40%

MOBILITY
Small cars ≤1200cc & ≤4000mm; diesel ≤1500cc & ≤4000mm): 28% ➔ 18%
Mid, big cars/ SUVs (>1500cc, >4000mm, ground clearance ≥170mm): 40%

MOTORCYCLES
≤350cc 18%
>350cc: 40%

3-Wheelers (HSN 8703): 28% ➔ 18%
Bicycles & Parts: 12% ➔ 5%

E-commerce players handholding sellers to implement new GST rates

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

AS they kick off their festive season sales, e-commerce majors such as Amazon and Flipkart are working closely with sellers to ensure that the revised GST rates are passed on to every product.

With new rates coming into effect on Monday, the platforms are automatically updating GST rates and product tax codes (PTCs) on sellers' listings for select product categories, while simultaneously helping them implement revised prices. "Flipkart is driving transparent communication on revised GST slabs and their implications, and has simplified the seller dashboard with automatic backend updates of new GST slabs. Detailed training sessions and webinars are being organised to address any seller queries regarding GST changes," said Rajneesh Kumar, Chief Corporate Affairs Officer, Flipkart.

To attract more customers, e-commerce platforms are highlighting the price differences between the old and new rates. Amazon India, for instance, plans to launch a dedicated storefront showcasing products with GST-linked savings across categories such as home appliances, electronics, daily essentials, healthcare, and fashion.

"Amazon is proactively supporting sellers with tools and guidance to review and maintain accuracy across their listings. Wherever possible, Amazon is automatically updating GST rates and PTCs on sellers' listings for select product categories," an Amazon India spokesperson said. To ensure a smooth transition to new rates while maintaining festive season discounts, the platforms have conducted detailed training sessions and webinars to address seller queries. They have equipped sellers with comprehensive resources, including masterclasses on understanding the nuances of GST tax codes, company officials confirmed.

As per the platforms, these measures are enabling sellers to conveniently pass on benefits of GST cuts to customers in applicable product categories. However, sellers continue to retain full control over product pricing. The GST Council has approved a simplified two-tier structure of 5% and 18%, scrapping the 12% and 28% slabs, while adding a 40% rate for luxury and sin goods. Analysts say the reforms could reshape e-commerce by influencing pricing, competitiveness, consumer behaviour, and compliance across the sector.

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No splurging on Diwali gifts this season: FinMin to govt depts

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

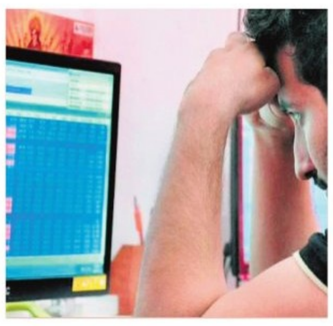
THE central government ministries and departments will have a frugal Diwali this year. While finance ministry has extended festive cheer to the public through GST rate cuts across a wide range of goods and services, it has directed government offices to refrain from spending on gifts this season.

In a circular issued by PK Singh, joint secretary, Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, ministries and departments have been instructed not to incur any expenditure on gifts and related items for Diwali and other festivals, "in the interest of prudent and responsible use of public resources."

"The Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, has been issuing instructions from time to time aimed at promoting fiscal discipline and curbing non-essential expenditure. In continuation of these efforts, it has been decided that no expenditure shall be incurred on gifts and related items for Diwali and other festivals by Ministries/Departments and other organs of the Government of India," the circular stated. It may be noted that the government has reduced GST rates on more than 95% of items to spur private consumption, which accounts for about 60% of India's GDP.

IT pack drags mkt, loses ₹83K cr in m-cap over H-1B visa fee concerns

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi



SHARES of Indian IT firms fell sharply on Monday with the Nifty IT index losing about ₹83,000 crore in market capitalisation after the latest H-1B visa policy changes by US President Donald Trump rattled sentiment. The sell-off in the IT pack also dragged the broader market with the benchmark Sensex falling 466.26 points or 0.56% to settle at 82,159.97, and the Nifty slipping 124.70 points or 0.49% to 25,202.35.

Shares of small-cap and mid-cap IT stocks such as Infobeans Technologies and Hexaware Technologies tumbled 7-8% while Mphasis, LTIMindtree, Coforge, and Persistent closed 4-5% lower. Heavyweights such as TCS, Infosys, Wipro and HCL Tech fell 2-3% on Monday.

The sell-off in the IT pack came after Trump signed an executive order hiking the H-1B visa application fee from $1,000 to $100,000 per applicant, a hundredfold increase applicable to fresh applications. This move is likely to impact the earnings of firms that derive a large chunk of their revenue from the US market.

"This (H-1B fee hike) rattled sentiment in a sector that had recently shown signs of recovery. IT services are seeing slower growth for now as companies spend more on AI hardware, but demand is likely to pick up once technology stabilises and adoption becomes wider," said Siddhartha Khemka - head of research, wealth management, Motilal Oswal Financial Services. Looking ahead, Khemka added that focus will be on commerce minister Piyush Goyal's visit to the US on September 22 for trade deal negotiations—the first since the Trump administration imposed 50% tariffs.

Brokerage firm Jefferies expects a talent supply crunch to drive up onsite wages (due to H-1B fee hike), which could drag profits by 4% to 13%, adding that growth may slow amid operating model shifts, macro pressures and AI risk. Among large-cap stocks, Jefferies sees TCS and Infosys to be well placed, while Coforge is best placed among mid-cap names. Nomura said in a worst-case scenario, it expects an impact between 10 bps to 100 bps on the company's margins for the entire coverage universe.

'H1-B visa fee to squeeze IT cos' margin next fiscal'

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

ANALYSTS have ruled out major impact on the software industry per se due to the $100,000 fee on new H1-B visa applications on companies but from next year onwards, the move may spike the wage inflation by 10% leading to a 100-200 bps impact on margins.

"The new H-1B visa fee will raise operating costs for domestic IT services companies. This adds to a possible 25% tax under the proposed HIRE Act, if American companies outsource to foreign entities," Sweta Patodia, an associate vice-president at Moody's Ratings said in a note Monday without quantifying the impact.

She was quick to add that steady global demand for IT services will help offset some of these rising costs. Large IT firms like Tata Consultancy Services and Infosys are better equipped to manage these pressures due to higher profitability, strong balance sheets and increased focus on local hiring over the last few years, she added. "While these US policy changes may slow growth of the country's services exports, fewer skilled workers going to the US could reduce remittance inflows. Still, current account deficits will stay within manageable levels, Patodia said.

As per Sumit Pokharna, vice president at Kotak Securities, the one-time fee on new H-1B visas marks a shift in US immigration policy, especially for IT companies. He expects the impact coming from next upcoming lottery cycle from H2FY27, and the full impact will be seen in FY28. The impact could be lower with a few offsets, including higher use of nearshore and offshore locations.

"Our bear case assumes no changes in sourcing patterns and increased competition for onsite talent, leading to 10% wage inflation, in which companies would have 100-200 bps margin impact and 7-14% on FY27 earnings per share. Our base case is companies would prefer replacing expiring H-1Bs with subcontractors in near term, paying 20-25% higher wages on average," Pokharna said.

As per Atul Gupta, partner (employment) at legal firm Trilegal, the increased H1-B fees will have a impact on technology services companies and professionals and it is likely that many positions will shift to neighbouring countries in same or similar time zone (Canada or Mexico) or come back to India, where GCC's are rising and this presents an opportunity to make GCC true centres of innovation.

Nasscom expects marginal impact

CHENNAI: IT industry body Nasscom said revised H-1B visa fee will have a marginal impact on the sector given Indian and India-centric companies have been reducing dependence on H-1B visas. Nasscom said the number of H-1B visas issued to leading companies in this category decreased from 14,792 in 2015 to 10,162 in 2024. *ENS*

GOLD RISES ₹2,200/10 G TO HIT ₹1,16,200, SURGES 47% THIS YEAR

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

GOLD prices surged by ₹2,200 per 10 grams in the national capital to hit a fresh high of ₹116,200/10 grams on Monday, buoyed by strong global cues as investors awaited key commentary from US Fed officials for policy direction.

International futures prices were up 1.4% to $3,755 per ounce (28.35 grams on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange at 2000 hrs IST on Monday, while spot gold was at a new high at $3,728/ounce, which would mean the safe-haven metal will rally further in the domestic market Tuesday.

With this, the yellow metal has gained ₹37,250/10 grams or 47.18% in the current calendar year so far, climbing from ₹78,950/10 grams on December 31, 2024. This comes on the back of a 26% rally in 2024 and 22% in 2023. In the past two years and nine months, the yellow metal has jumped 95%.

According to the All India Sarafa Association, the precious metal of 99.9% purity had closed at ₹1,14,000/10 grams on Friday and the metal rallied ₹2,200 to hit a record high of ₹116,200 for 10 grams on Monday. "Both gold and silver traded at record levels in the domestic market, tracking the bullish trend in international markets. A dovish signal from the US Fed suggests that two additional rate cuts are likely this year, which could limit gains in the US dollar and treasury yields while bolstering precious metal prices," said Saumil Gandhi a senior commodity analyst at HDFC Securities. A strong inflow into exchange-traded funds as well as continued interest from central banks have also contributed to the rally, he added.

25 bps rate reduction best possible option for RBI in next policy review: Report

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

THERE is merit and rationale for the RBI to reduce the key benchmark lending rate by 25 bps in the forthcoming monetary policy review, citing steeply fallen retail inflation that's expected to remain benign even in the next financial year and the hardening of the bond yields since the June rate cut.

The RBI has already delivered 100 bps repo rate cuts in three installments between February and June when it surprised with an unconventional 50 bps repo cut. Since the monetary authority in June changed the policy stance to neutral, it spooked the bonds market. The RBI also hit a pause button in August, which further led to the rise in bond yields.

The RBI-led Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) is meeting from September 29 for a three-day deliberations. The decision will be announced on October 1. "There is merit and rationale in going for a September rate cut...This will require calibrated communication by the RBI as post-June, the bar for rate cut is indeed higher," said SBI Research in a note on Monday.

Its chief economist Soumya Kanti Ghosh said the central bank communication is a crucial toolkit for monetary policy, and post-June policy such communication has played a major role in bond yields hardening.

"There is no point in committing a type 2 error again (no rate cut with neutral stance) by not cutting rates in September as inflation will continue to remain benign even in FY27, and without a GST cut, it's tracking below 2% in September and October, when it is likely to be printing in at 1.1%," he said.

Ghosh said the CPI for fiscals 2026-27 is tracking around 4% or less, with the GST rationalisation, October CPI could be closer to 1.1%, the lowest since 2004. CPI inflation may further decline by 65-75 bps due to the huge GST rate cuts, he added.

"A rate cut in September is the best possible option for the RBI, which also projects it as a forward-looking central bank," he said. Experience of 2019 also indicates that the rates rationalisation led to nearly 35 bps decline in overall inflation in just a couple of months, he said.

'Expect 20-30 bps fall in consumer inflation'

SBI chief economist Soumya Kanti Ghosh said with the new CPI series, we expect further inflation moderation of 20-30 basis points. All these factors (GST and base revision) indicate consumer inflation will remain around lower end of inflation target for FY26 and FY27

EXPRESS READ

Sebi approval for ₹10,500 crore IPOs

MUMBAI: Three large initial public offer (IPO) plans from Coal India arm Bharat Coking Coal, Canara HSBC Life Insurance and precision engineering components maker Aeques, which are collectively looking to raise ₹10,500 crore have received observation letters from the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi). *ENS*

Core sector growth at 13-month high

NEW DELHI: Output of eight core sectors of the economy rose to a 13-month high of 6.3% in August driven by strong performances by coal and steel sectors. A low base effect -- the core sectors contracted by 1.5% in August 2024 – also helped the sectors post strong numbers during the month. *ENS*

Tariff hits India's merchandise exports to US

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

INDIA'S merchandise exports to the US, its largest market, have gone down by 22.2% between May and August 2025, dropping from $8.8 billion to $6.9 billion, as the steep escalation of American tariffs weighs on shipments, according to a new report by the Global Trade Research Initiative (GTRI).

September will be the first full month with the higher levy, which could deepen the slide in labour-intensive sectors such as textiles, gems and jewellery, shrimp, chemicals, and solar panels, cautioned GTRI. "Tariff-exempt exports collapse is a puzzle. It is alarming and counterintuitive — these products face zero US tariffs, yet they have seen the steepest decline. This demands urgent investigation to uncover the real reasons that are driving the fall," stated the report.

The steepest decline came in tariff-free items. Exports of smartphones, pharmaceuticals, and petroleum products, which face zero duties in the US, fell 41.9% to $1.96 billion. Smartphone exports collapsed 58% to $965 million, down from $2.3 billion in May. Foxconn and Tata Electronics, the two largest exporters, may be shifting their production base to Vietnam or China for newer models. Pharmaceutical exports shrank 13.3% to $647 million, raising fresh concerns for India's $25 billion drug sector.

Products under uniform global tariffs, including metals and auto components, slipped just 4% to $600 million, cushioned by the fact that India is not uniquely disadvantaged. The sharper stress is visible in category C goods — those singled out for the 50% tariff. Shipments fell 10.8% to $4.3 billion. Gems and jewellery exports contracted 9.1%, with Surat's diamond industry hit hard, though lab-grown diamonds surged over 40%, reflecting shifting US consumer preferences. Solar panel exports dropped 34.6%, raising fears of losing share to China and Vietnam, both facing lower tariffs. Seafood exports collapsed 43.8%, with Vannamei shrimp plunging 52.2%, threatening livelihoods across coastal clusters.

Textile and garment exports fell 9.3% to $855 million, with cotton dresses down a staggering 66.7%. Home textiles were the only bright spot, rising 14.2% on steady US demand. Chemicals, agrochemicals in particular, slumped nearly 27%, while agro and processed food shipments also weakened sharply.

Smartphone exports to US fall 58% in 3 months

NEW DELHI: India's smartphone exports to its the US, dropped by 58% — from $2.29 billion in May to $964.8 million in August — according to think tank Global Trade Research Initiative (GTRI). GTRI called the decline "alarming and unusual," especially since there are no import tariffs on smartphones in the US. *ENS*

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the **ARM Branch II, Bangalore of Canara Bank,** the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM Branch II, Bangalore** will be sold on **16.10.2025"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below.

Sl. No.	Borrower Name/ Description of the movable / immovable assets	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Details and Full Description of the Property	Auction Date & Time	Reserve Price & EMD	Incremental value at the Bid
1.	**(1) M/s Mallella Infrastructure Private Limited through Its Director Sri M Pawan Kumar, Smt M Latha Preeti and Sri K Charan Kumar Regd Office:** No.540, 17th Main, 4th Sector, HSR Layout, Bengaluru-560102. **Guarantor: (2) Sri M Pawan Kumar** S/o Sri M Nagireddy, **(3) Smt M Latha Preeti** W/o Sri M Pawan Kumar, **Both are residing at:** No.307/7, 23rd Cross, 6th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560070. **(4) Sri K Charan Kumar** S/o and C/o Sri Reddeppa Reddy, No.54 Ground Floor, UAS Layout, 8th Cross, RMV 2nd Stage, Sanjaynagar, Bangalore North, PO: RMV Extension II Stage, Bangalore-560 094.	**Rs. 50,92,84,009.84/- (Rupees Fifty Crore Ninety Two Lakhs Eight Four Thousand Nine and Eighty Four Paise Only)** of M/s Mallela Infrastructure Private Limited and others including costs and interest as on **19.09.2025** together with future interest, expenses and costs etc till realization	All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.249, erstwhile Begur Village PanchayathKhatha No.766/A, carved on residential converted land bearing Sy.No. 396 (New No. 396/1), converted under Official Memorandum bearing No. Dis.ALN.SR.(S) 128/85-86, dated 19.9.1985, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike (BBMP), Begur Ward No. 192, bearing Khatha No.1498/249, situated Begur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, measuring East to West 70 feet and North to South 95 feet, in all measuring 6650 sq. ft., and bounded on the: East by : Site No.250, West by: Site No.248, North by : Site No. 246, South by: Road.	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 1,64,58,000/- EMD Rs. 16,45,800/- on or before 15.10.2025**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**
			All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.248, erstwhile Begur Village PanchayathKhatha No.766/A, carved on residential converted land bearing Sy.No. 396 (New No.396/1), converted under Official Memorandum bearing No. Dis.ALN.SR.(S) 128/85-86, dated 19.9.1985, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike (BBMP), Begur Ward No. 192, bearing Khatha No.1500/248, situated Begur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, measuring East to West 60 feet and North to South 95 feet, in all measuring 5700 sq. ft., and bounded on the: East by : Site No.249, West by: Private Property, North by : Site No. 247, South by:Road.	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 1,40,93,000/- EMD Rs. 14,09,300/- on or before 15.10.2025**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**
			All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.121, BBMP Khatha No.1803/121. New PID NO.192-W1298-50, (erstwhile Begur Village PanchayathKhatha No.1019-1181-766/A-1026/1184, measuring East to West 100 feet, and North to South 60 feet, in all measuring 6000 sq.ft., carved on residential converted land bearing Sy.No.114, (converted vide official memorandum bearing No.B.DIS.ALN.SR(S)581/82-83, dated 25.1.1982, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike Ward No.192-Begur, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto and bounded on the: East by : Site No.120, West by : Road, North by : Site No. 122, South by : Road.	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 1,43,45,000/- EMD Rs. 14,34,500/- on or before 15.10.2025**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**
			All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.77, BBMP Khatha No.1343/77, New PID No.192-W0422-10, (erstwhile Begur Village PanchayathKhatha No.1025-1183/1026-1184/766/C), measuring East to West 100 feet, North to South 60 feet, in all measuring 6,000 square feet, carved on residentially converted lands bearing Sy.No. 142, 143/1 and Sy.No.143/2, comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike (BBMP), Begur Ward No. 192, situated Begur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, and bounded on the: East by : Site No.52, West by : Road, North by : Site No. 78A, South by:Site No.76.	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 1,34,00,000/- EMD Rs. 13,40,000/- on or before 15.10.2025 by 4.00 PM**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**
			Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.182, bearing BBMP Khatha No.3315/117/7/182, situated in the layout known as"VISWAPRIYA GREENERIES", formed in the land converted land bearing Sy.No.117/7 ofBegur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, (converted for residential purposes vide official Memorandum bearing No.BDIS.ALN.SR(S)154/81-82, dated 31.8.1981, by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District), measuring East to West 100 feet, North to South 38 feet, in all measuring 3800 square feet, presently within BBMP Begur Ward No.192, and bounded on the : East by : Site No.179, West by : Road, North by : Site No. 183, South by : Site No.181. **Item No.2:** All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.179, bearing BBMP Khatha No.3316/117/7/182, situated in the layout known as"VISWAPRIYA GREENERIES", formed in the land converted land bearing Sy.No.117/7 ofBegur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, (converted for residential purposes vide official Memorandum bearing No.BDIS.ALN.SR(S)154/81-82, dated 31.8.1981, by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District), measuring East to West 100 feet, North to South 38 feet, in all measuring 3800 square feet, presently within BBMP Begur Ward No.192, and bounded on the : East by : Road, West by : Site No.182, North by : Site No. 178, South by : Site No.180.	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 1,61,09,000/- EMD Rs. 16,10,900/- on or before 15.10.2025**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**
			All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.201, formed in Converted Sy. No. 113, (converted for residential purposes under official memorandum No. ALN:SR(S)270/80-81, dated 05-09-1980, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Urban Dist. Bangalore) Presently bearing BBMP Khatha No. 290/201, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore, South Taluk, Presently within BBMP Begur, Ward No. 192, measuring East to West 120 feet and North to south 60 feet, and bounded on the: East by : Basapura Village, West by : Road, North by : Site No. 202, (Land Locked).	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 63,15,000/- EMD Rs. 6,31,500/-on or before 15.10.2025**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**
			All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.202, formed in Converted Sy. No. 113, (converted for residential purposes under official memorandum No. ALN:SR(S)270/80-81, dated 05-09-1980, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Urban Dist. Bangalore) Presently bearing BBMP Khatha No. 291/202, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore, South Taluk, Presently within BBMP Begur, Ward No. 192, measuring East to West 120 feet and North to south 60 feet, and bounded on the : East by : Basapura Village, West by : Road, North by : Site No.203, South by : Site No. 201. (Land Locked)	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 63,15,000/- EMD Rs. 6,31,500/- on or before 15.10.2025**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**
			All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.203, formed in Converted Sy. No. 113, (converted for residential purposes under official memorandum No. ALN:SR(S)270/80-81, dated 05-09-1980, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Urban Dist. Bangalore) Presently bearing BBMP Khatha No. 633/203, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore, South Taluk, Presently within BBMP Begur, Ward No. 192, measuring East to West 120 feet and North to south 60 feet, and bounded on the : East by : Basapura Village, West by : Road, North by : Site No. 204, South by : Site No. 202. (Land Locked)	**16.10.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 03.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 61,30,000/- EMD Rs.6,13,000/- on or before 15.10.2025**	**Rs.1,00,000/-**

OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS : **(a)** Auction / bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website **https://baanknet.com/** Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.**(b)** The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer.**(c)** The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process. **(d)** EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of **M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (BAANKNET)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan. **(e)** After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before **15.10.2025,** to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand OR Email. **(i)** Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT Acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No. **(ii)** Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount. **(iii)** Bid Form. The intending bidders should register their names at portal **https://baanknet.com/** and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider, **M/s.PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) - e- mail: support.baanknet@psballiance.com.** EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD shall not carry any interest. **(f)** Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiplies of **Rs.1,00,000/-** The bidder who submits the highest bid (not below the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor. **(g)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again. This amount shall be deposited by way of Demand draft in favour of Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, ARM II Branch OR shall be deposited through RTGS / NEFT / Fund Transfer to credit of account of **Canara Bank, ARM II Branch, A/c. No. 209272434, IFSC Code: CNRB0006298.(h)** For sale proceeds of **Rs.50.00 Lakhs (Rupees Fifty lacs) and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at a rate 1% or as applicable on the sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the bank. (i)** All charges for Conveyance, Stamp Duty/GST/Registration Charges etc. As applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only. **(j)** Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the E-auction without assigning any reason thereof. **(k)** In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the E-auction, they can approach **Canara Bank Circle office, Bengaluru or Canara Bank ARM II Branch, Bengaluru,** who as a facilitating centre shall make necessary arrangements. **(l)** Bidder has to make due diligence and physical verification of property with regard to title, extent, area dues, etc. No claim subsequent to submission of bid shall be entertained by the bank.

For further details contact Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, ARM Branch-2- (9113092975, 8921102717, 9201460154, 9483544116, 8709675503 and 080-25310181) e-mail id – cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) - e- mail: support.BAANKNET@psballiance.com

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION / CAUTION

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/alternatives such as back –up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully.

Date : 22.09.2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised officer
Canara Bank

IN THE COURT OF THE XXXIX ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU

O.S. No. 4605/2023 (CCH-40)

BETWEEN : Sri. Vijay Kumar .G, Aged about 50 years, S/o Ganeshan, R/A No. 12, 8th Main, Hoysala Nagar, Ramamurthynagar, Bengaluru-560016.
...PLAINTIFF

AND : Sri. Ravi Kumar S/o Rajashekharaiah, Aged 61 years, No. 404/P2, Flat No. G-02, 4th Cross, Manunatha Nagara, Kalkere, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru-560043.
And also R/at No.31, 1st A Main, 3rd Block, Basaveshwaranagar, Near Pavithra Paradise, Banagalore-560079. **...DEFENDANTS**

DEFENDANT : Sri. Ravi Kumar
S/o. Rajashekharaiah, Aged 61 years, No. 404/P2, Flat No. G-02, 4th Cross, Manunatha Nagara, Kalkere, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru-560043.
And also R/at No.31, 1st A Main, 3rd Block, Basaveshwaranagar, Near Pavithra Paradise, Banagalore-560079.

WHEREAS, the Plaintiff has instituted the above suit against the defendant for recovery of money of a sum of Rs. 2,10,000/- a/w interest of 24% P.A.

Hence, You are hereby directed to appear before this Hon'ble XXXIX ADDL. City Civil and Sessions Judge (CCH-40) at Bengaluru either in personally or through your advocate duly instructed or through some one authorised by law to act for you in this suit **on 23.10.2025** if you fail to appear on the fixed date the suit will be heard and decided in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court this 08.09.2025.

By order of the Court, Senior Sheristedar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru.
Advocate for Plaintiffs

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client **Sri. Nagaraju.M S/o late.Marishamappa Shetty,** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of one **late. Manishamppa Shetty S/o late. Rudrappa Shetty who died on 30.12.1973** at Marenahalli Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore if any perties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble Principal Civil Judge and J.M.F.C at Devanahalli and the date hearing **on 16.10.2025 at 11.00 A.M in Cri Mis.No.357/2024.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri Manoj Gowda .P, Advocate

IN THE COURT OF THE 1st ADTIONAL CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC AT NALAMANGALA
CMIS 169/2023

Petitioner: Sri. SIDDAPPA AND OTHERS
AND
Respondent: THE THASILDHAR.

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients 1. Sri SIDDAPPA AND OTHERS, have filed the petition for the death certificates of one Late DURGAPPA S/o Late Narsegowda, who died on 27/10/1986 and one GANGANARSAMMA W/o Durgappa who died on 20/08/1980 at petitioners House, Nelamangala Taluk, Banglore Rural District. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before I Addl Chief Judge and JMFC court at Nelamangala , date of hearing on 25/09/2025 @ 11 AM in C-Miss No 169/2023

By order of the court Sd/- Sheristedar, I Addl Civil Judge and JMFC court at Nelamangal

Sri. Narayana Gowda J S, Advocate, No.06, 1st Floor, Muraraiah Building, Near Ganigara Samudaya Building, Sondekoppa Road, Nelamangala.

PUBLIC NOTICE

General public are hereby informed that, my client is intending to purchase the schedule property from its rightful owners namely i. Smt Chandra. M W/o Kumar, R/at No. 101 and ii. Smt.Shashikala W/o Channakeshava R/at 46 of Marappanapalya, Nagarur, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk-562123.

If any persons, banks, financial institutions having any claims, right, title, interest, objections of whatsoever either towards schedule property or its transaction, then they can file their objections along with all necessary documents to the under mentioned within 10 days from the date of this notice. Failing which, it is deemed that there is no objection whatsoever from anyone in dealing with the property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Vacant site bearing No. B1-161, Katha No.826/B1/161, PID No.150200200700402290, formed in converted land bearing Sy.No.113 of Nagarur Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, same has approved by Nelamanagala planning Authority, measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 53.9+52.6/2 Sq.feet totally measuring 1593.75 Sq, feet, coming under Dasanapura Panchayath Limits, bounded on:

EAST BY : Site No.154, WEST BY : Road, NORTH BY : Site No.160, SOUTH BY : Site No.162

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Bangalore Date : 22.09.2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

LOST DOCUMENTS

I, Renju Mathew, aged about 46 years, S/o Mr. K. S. Mathew, residing at Flat No 201, SLV Sunrise Residency, Medahalli Road, Belathur, Kadugodi, Bangalore 560067 has irretrievably lost/misplaced the original Sale Deed dated 31/07/2012 Registered as Document No. BNS-1-04636-2012-13, Book 1, stored in CD.No. BNSD217, Registered before the Sub-Registrar, Banaswadi, Bangalore is. If anybody finds it, is requested to intimate the same to the undersigned. If no intimation is received within 15 days of this public notice, it will be presumed that the documents are irretrievably lost.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of **Flat No. 201, Second Floor, with super built up area of 1300 Sq. ft. with one car parking space in the Building known as "SUN RISE RESIDENCY" with undivided share of 549 Sq.Ft, constructed in BBMP Katha Nos.130, 8 & 9, situated at Belathuru Gramathana, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, presently under the Jurisdiction of BBMP** and bounded on the :

East by : Road;
West by : House Property belonging to Ramaiah;
North by : House Property belonging to Muniswamappa;
South by : Residential Apartment building known as Ushodaya Raaga & Road.

Mr. RENJU MATHEW
Bangalore Dated: 29-08-2025

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

ARM-1 Branch,
2nd Floor, No.86, Spencer Tower,
M.G. Road Bengaluru-560001
Ph:080-25310066, E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable / movable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Symoblic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 10.10.2025 (11.30 AM to 12.00 AM), for recovery of Rs. 7,49,61,547.92 as on 21.09.2025** with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank from (1) M/s Javeed Steels Prop. Mohd Aaqib Javeed** At No. 30, New Bambool Bazar City Market, N R Road Bengaluru 560002. **(2) Mohd. Aaqib Javeed** S/o Mohammed Irfan Javed, **(3) Smt. Fahmida Begum Urf Nishat Begum** W/o Mohammed Irfan Javeed, **(4) Mohammed Irfan Javeed, All are residing at:** No.301, Thimmaiah Road, Civil Station, Shivaji Nagar, Bangalore-560046.

The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through **RTGS/NEFT** in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **09.10.2025, 5.00 pm.** **(₹.In Lakhs)**

Lot	Description of the immovable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD	Incremental Value
1	All part and parcel of immovable property bearing municipal No 301 (old No. 21/F) situated in Thimmaih Road, Bangalore Mahanagara Palike ward No79, Bangalore Together with all the construction thereon measuring on east 103 feet, on West 99 feet, on North 19 feet and on south 22 feet and 8 inches, Total extent of the land 2232 Sq.ft and Bounded on the: East By: premises bearing old No.21/E of Thimmaiah Road, West By: Premises bearing old No.21 of Thimmaiah Road, North By: Thimmaiah Road, South By: Conservancy. **Coordinates of the property Latitude- 12.59240N Longitude- 77.36109E**	₹. 275.88	₹. 27.59	₹. 1.00

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/) portal and may contact ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No.08025310066, 6381952519,9483743156, 9414400177 and 9039609346 during office hours on any working day.

Date : 22.09.2025
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE
No.01, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001.

O.A No. 1475/2024

BETWEEN: PUNJAB & SIND BANK, Chickpet Area Branch, Bengaluru-560053. **...APPLICANT**

AND: M/s. e-KUNDAN and another **... DEFENDANTS**

To, **DEFENDANT No.1: M/s. e-KUNDAN,** No.6, Durgam Complex, BVK Iyengar Road, Near Chickpet Circle, Bengaluru-560053, Represented by its Proprietor, Sri. Kishore Motilal Dhoka @ Kishore Kumar

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE) RULE 1996

1) WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendants for recovery of Rs.37,15,103/- (Rupees thirty seven lakh fifteen thousand one hundred and three only) along with future interest @ 12.95% and 9.25% per annum respectively compounded with monthly rests from 01.04.2024 to till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with 2% per annum penalty from 01.04.2024 to till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with cost of this proceedings in respect of Cash Credit facility and GECL Credit facility along with cost of this proceedings and for the reliefs.
2) You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **24-12-2025** at **10:30 A.M** in the forenoon in person or pleader/advocate duly instructed has to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.
3) Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Hon'ble Tribunal on 25-08-2025.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II, Bangalore.

LIC HFL
LIC HOUSING FINANCE LTD

LIC HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

BACK OFFICE, 1ST FLOOR, LIC JEEVAN MANGAL , HAYES ROAD, RESIDENCY RD, BENGALURU, KARNATAKA 560025

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

WHEREAS the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of LIC Housing Finance Ltd (LIC HFL), under Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 & in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 had issued Demand Notice to following Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors calling upon them to repay the outstanding due amount mentioned in the said notices. However, The Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors having failed to repay the said due amount, the undersigned has taken PHYSICAL POSSESSION (S) in exercise of powers conferred U/s 13(4) and U/s 14 of the said Act read with the Rule 8.

This notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property have been mortgaged to the LIC HFL, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of LIC HFL will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" & without any recourse basis on Date of auction, as per the brief particulars given here under.

Name of Borrower/s- Ms. Mishridevi & Mr. Keshram
Loan No – 411300008309

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Vacant Site No. 52, Block – 1, Property No. 265/ out of 152, PID No. 152100700600301486, situated at Mogarahalli, Hosahalli Gram Panchayath, Belgola Hobli, Srirangapatna Taluk, measuring East to West: 12.19 Meter and North to South: 18.29 Meter, in all total 222. 92 square meter and bounded on: East by : Site No. 151, West by : Site No. 153 North by : Road, South by : Road.

Date of Demand Notice	21/10/2023
Amt Demanded	Rs.2255033.00 with further Interest, Cost and Expenses.
Account Details	Beneficiary Name: LIC Housing Finance Ltd Account No: LHFLBA411300008309 IFSC CODE: HDFC0000009
Date of Possession (PHYSICAL)	14/02/2024
Reserve Price	Rs.26,60,000/- (Rupees Twenty-six Lakhs sixty thousand Only)
EMD	Rs.2,66,000 /- (Rupees Two lakh sixty-six thousand only)
Total Amount payable as on date	Rs.3,102,159.00/- (Rupees Thirty-one lakhs two thousand one hundred fifty-nine only)
Website of E-Auction	https://online.lichousing.com/eauction/ & https://www.auctionbazaar.com/
Date & time of Inspection of Photocopies of property documents	18 October 2025 & 10:30AM to 3:00PM
Address where property documents can be inspected	BACK OFFICE, 1ST FLOOR, LIC JEEVAN MANGAL, HAYES ROAD, RESIDENCY RD, BENGALURU, KARNATAKA 560025
Inspection of the Property Date for inspection and time	21 October 2025 & 10:00AM to 1:00PM
Contact person: Name of Authorised Representative	Mr. A.S.R Phanindra, Associate Chief Manager, Mob No: 8008177199
Contact details of E-Auction from the service provider	Mr. Uttappa, M/s. Arca Emart Pvt Ltd, Mob No: 7799510999 email id: - contact@auctionbazaar.com
Last date of submission of Online Tender / Bid	23 October 2025 till 3:00PM
E Auction Date & Time	24 October 2025 & 11 AM to 3.00PM

Further to this PUBLIC NOTICE for E-Auction Sale of the above said Assets / properties (in terms and conditions of the SARFAESI, Act 2002 and rules thereunder) LICHFL invites OFFERS through online mode only to purchase the said property as per the following Terms and Conditions as mentioned below:

1. E-Auction Sale is being held on **'As is where is Basis is' and 'As is what is Basis', 'whatever there is Basis' And 'Without Any Recourse Basis'** and will be conducted **"Online".** The E-Auction will be conducted through LIC HFL approved E-auction service provider – Name of E-auction service provider (as published in newspaper advertisement) **2.** To the best of the knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer, no other encumbrance exists on the mortgaged property, except as disclosed in the publications. However, the interested Bidders to conduct their own independent due diligence verifications regarding the Location and Identity of the property, Inspection of Public records in the Sub Registrars' Offices/Civil Courts, to find any encumbrances, statutory liabilities, arrears of property tax, Income Tax, Excise Duty, Labor Dues, electricity, and maintenance dues, etc., of the Secured Asset. The Successful bidders shall have to bear all outgoing i.e., municipal taxes, maintenance/society charges, electricity charges, water charges, stamp duty, registration charges, (if applicable), if any and all other incidentals charges, cost including all outgoing relating to the respective properties over and above the Reserve Price. LICHFL will not be held responsible for any charge, lien, liabilities, etc., of whatsoever nature pending upon the properties as mentioned above. **3.** The intending bidders should register their names at portal "website of E-auction service provider" as mentioned in the auction sale notice (as published in newspaper advertisement). **4.** The E-auction Sale is subject to the conditions prescribed in the SARFAESI Act/Rules 2002 and the terms and conditions mentioned hereunder/ website also subject to conditions in the offer/bid documents to be submitted by the intending/participating bidders. **5.** Every bidder is required to have his/her own email address in order to participate in the online E-auction. Once Intending Bidder formally registers as a qualified tenderer before Authorized Officer of LICHFL, will have to express his/her interest to participate through the E-auction bidding platform, by submitting documents. It shall be the tenderer's/online bidder's sole responsibility to procure his/her login ID and password from the E-auction service provider. **6.** The aforesaid properties shall not be sold below the Reserve Price mentioned above. **7.** If the successful bidder defaults in effecting payments or fails to adhere to the terms and condition of E-Auction in any manner the amount already deposited will be forfeited and he/she shall not have any claim as such for forfeited amount. **8.** The offer/s along with the aforesaid Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) can be submitted "online" through the portal eg., **"www.auctionbazaar.com"** along with the EMD and scanned copy of KYC documents including PAN Card & (Aadhar Card) address proof, to the service provider, mentioned above on or before the Bid Submission due date & time as per other details of Auction above. Authorised Officer is not bound to accept highest offer made by the bidder if not acceptable to the secured creditor. **9.** Every Bidder shall deposit EMD before participating in E-Auction. The said Deposit/s shall be adjusted in the case of successful bidder/s, otherwise refunded. The said earnest money deposit/s will not carry any interest. **10.** Initial Bidding increment is Rs 25000. However, Authorised Officer will state bidding increment amount percentage for each property if, decided otherwise. **11.** The successful bidder/s shall deposit 25% of the amount of sale price, adjusting the EMD paid already, within 24 hours of bid acceptance by the Authorized officer/next working day before close of cash hours, in respect of the sale, failing which the earnest money deposited shall be forfeited. The balance 75% of the sale price is payable within 15 days from the date of confirmation of the sale unless decided otherwise by Authorised Officer in writing, the maximum period allowed is 90 days, beyond which time-period cannot be extended. In case of failure to deposit the balance amount within the prescribed period, the amount deposited shall be forfeited. The Authorized Officer shall not be required to give any further notice of forfeiture to the successful bidder. **12.** The successful bidder should bear the charges/fees payable on sale certificate, such as registration fees, stamp duty, taxes, or any other duties payable for getting the secured asset transferred in his/her name. **13.** The Sale Certificate will be issued only in the name of the successful bidder and only after receipt of the entire sale price. **14.**The notice is hereby given to the Borrower/s, Mortgagor/s and Guarantor/s that they can bring the intending buyer/purchaser for purchasing the properties mentioned above, as per the terms and Conditions of the E-Auction Sale. **15.** Inspection of the photocopies of documents and Property Inspection of the above said properties can be done on the dates stated in the advertisement. Interested bidders shall contact the designated official as per the other details of E-Auction mentioned above. All conveyance and other expenses related to Inspection of the property/document copies shall be borne by the interested bidders. **16.** The LIC Housing Finance Limited reserves the right to CANCEL / ACCEPT / REJECT / ALTER / MODIFY / POSTPONE the AUCTION without giving any reason whatsoever or prior Notice. **17.** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Secured Creditor, viz., LIC Housing Finance Ltd.

Place: Mysuru
Date : 23.09.2025

Sd/- Authorized Officer
L.I.C Housing Finance Ltd, Bangalore

Divya to feature at World Cup

Grandmaster Divya Deshmukh has been awarded a wild card for the FIDE World Cup 2025, to be held in Goa from October 31 to November 27, following a last-minute withdrawal of one of the participants. The 19-year-old from Nagpur, who recently competed at the FIDE Grand Swiss, will now join 20 other Indians in the single-elimination event.

'India-Pak not a rivalry anymore'

India captain SKY believes there's no contest between the two sides as it's one-sided now

ENS/AGENCIES

INDIAN skipper Suryakumar Yadav has urged everyone to stop calling the contests against Pakistan a meaningful "rivalry" given how his team has dominated the arch-foes, the most recent demolition act being the six-wicket triumph in a Super 4 match of the ongoing Asia Cup here. India and Pakistan have faced each other 15 times in T20 Internationals, with the reigning world champions winning 12 of those encounters. After the comprehensive win on Sunday night, the proverbial question on the gulf between the two teams was thrown at Suryakumar by a senior Pakistani journalist.

"Sir, my request is that we should now stop calling India vs Pakistan matches a rivalry," Suryakumar responded with a smile. When the scribe clarified that he was referring to "standards, and not the rivalry", the Indian skipper said it hardly makes things any different.

"Sir, rivalry and standard are all the same. Now what is a rivalry? If two teams have played 15 matches and it's 8-7, that's a rivalry. Here it's 13-1 (12-3) or something. There is no contest," the India captain said before winding up the media conference with a grin.

India captain Suryakumar Yadav (L) and his Pakistan counterpart Salman Ali Agha after the toss on Sunday | AP

Overall (T20Is) head-to-head	
Matches	15
Ind won	11
Pak won	3
Tied	1

- Stats since Sep 14 2007 when they played their first T20I

Since 2020	
Matches	7
Ind won	5
Pak won	2

- The two losses for India came in 2021 T20 WC and 2022 Asia Cup
- India won the last 4 ties between the two

Lone defeat in ODIs since 2015

2017 was the last time Pak beat India in an ODI - it came in the 2017 Champions Trophy final

8 matches India won in this period while an ODI ended without result (2023 Asia Cup in Pallekele, Sri Lanka)

CHAMARI AND NIGAR LEAD THE WAY

With one week to go for the biggest women's cricket carnival, a look at Sri Lanka and Bangladesh squads ahead of the ODI World Cup...

ICC WOMEN'S CRICKET WORLD CUP INDIA 2025 — 7 DAYS TO GO

Sri Lanka

Strength: Their captain Chamari Athapaththu and home advantage, as Sri Lanka will play five of the seven games at home during the round robin stages alone. Chamari has been carrying the team on her shoulders for the past decade, and in recent years, other stars have come up as well. The skipper will be looking to the likes of Nilakshika Silva, Harshitha Samarawickrama and Vishmi Gunaratne for more.

Drawback: When push comes to shove, they turn to Chamari, and if she fails, SL falter. It has been the case in crunch matches. Which is why, despite series wins against New Zealand and Bangladesh at home, Sri Lanka fell short against India in both bilaterals as well as the tri-series. They would want to change that this time around.

Squad: Chamari (C), Hasini, Vishmi, Harshitha, Kaveesha, Nilakshika, Anushka, Imesha, Dewmi, Piumi, Inoka, Sugandika, Udeshika, Malki, Achini.

Bangladesh

Strength: The consistency of Fargana Hoque with the bat and Nigar Sultana's leadership. They have been a team needing inspiration from the captain and senior stars, even as the fearless younger generation breaks in. Their spin attack could be dangerous in helpful conditions and then there is Marufa Akter's pace. They can deliver a punch or two which could cause some upsets in the tournament.

Drawback: Their lack of experience in World Cups, 2022 was their first ODI event, means pressure tend to get to them. If opposition gets under their skin, they might hit the self destruct button as seen in the past. On pitch that has any kind of help for bowlers, they can put up a fight, but on flatter conditions, stronger opponents may prevail.

Squad: Nigar (C), Nahida (VC), Fargana, Rubya Sharmin, Sobhana, Ritu, Shorna, Fahima, Rabeya, Marufa, Fariha, Shanjida, Nishita, Sumaiya.

Farhan defends gun-firing celebration

AGENCIES @ Dubai

PLAYING the pantomime villain, Pakistan's remorseless opening batter Sahibzada Farhan said he doesn't "care about what people think" about the provocative gun-firing celebration he brought out during the Asia Cup match against India here. India won the Super 4s match by six wickets to continue their stranglehold over the traditional rivals in multilateral tournaments, even as Farhan's gun-firing gesture in the air after reaching his half-century sparked a controversy.

"That celebration was just a moment at that time. I do not do a lot of celebrations after scoring 50. But, it suddenly came to my mind that let's do a celebration today. I did that. I don't know how people will take it. I don't care about that," Farhan told reporters after the match. "And the rest, you know, you should play aggressive cricket wherever you play. It is not necessary that it is India. You should play aggressive cricket against every team, like we played today," the batter added.

Farhan scored 58 off 45 balls in the match, his innings helping Pakistan post 171/5 in 20 overs, but India completed the game in the penultimate over of their run chase after their openers Abhishek Sharma and Shubman Gill's scintillating knocks on Sunday.

SRI LANKA AND PAKISTAN FACE EACH OTHER IN A CRUCIAL SUPER FOURS CONTEST OF THE ONGOING ASIA CUP IN ABU DHABI ON TUESDAY. HAVING LOST THEIR MOST-RECENT MATCHES, THIS IS A MUST-WIN MATCH FOR BOTH. HERE'S A LOOK...

CRUCIAL CONTEST

SL BOWLERS LOOK TO BOUNCE BACK

After acing the Group stages of the competition, Sri Lanka were stunned by Bangladesh in their first Super Fours outing. Despite Dasun Shanaka's lightning half-century, they were outdone by Litton Das & Co in the last tie. The Sri Lanka bowlers were unable to contain Bangladesh batters, who grew in confidence as the match wore on and maintained their cool to get over the line. Strike bowler Nuwan Thushara, who went for plenty, will be hoping to make an impact at a venue where he has taken five wickets (2 matches) so far.

PAK BATTERS SEEK CONSISTENT DISPLAY

Pakistan batters thrived against India during powerplay, playing an aggressive brand of cricket but they failed to capitalise a start full of promise in the middle overs. Sahibzada Farhan, who scored a half-century, and the rest of the middle order batters struggled to keep the momentum against spinners and medium pacer Shivam Dube. That spell of play probably cost them dearly. Even their bowlers had no answers while trying to defend a decent total. Shaheen Shah Afridi and spinner Saim Ayub were among culprits and they'll be hoping to put up an improved show vs Sri Lanka.

ABU DHABI • Live on Sony Sports Network @ 8 PM

India win heated SAFF U17 game vs Pakistan

AGENCIES @ Colombo

INDIA maintained their stranglehold over arch-foes Pakistan across sports as the country's football team notched a 3-2 victory in a highly-charged SAFF U17 Championship match here on Monday in which losing team member Muhammad Abdullah's controversial celebration attracted attention.

In the game that was rendered inconsequential after both teams qualified for the semifinals, India took the lead in the 31st minute through Dallalmuon Gangte. Pakistan drew level in the 43rd minute when a penalty was converted by Abdullah, after which, he ran to the corner, sat down, and, in a unique celebration with his teammates, seemed to mimic drinking tea.

But that mocking celebration backfired on Pakistan as they had to eat the humble pie with India stamping their superiority in actual play. Abdullah's celebration, though, became a talking point after the match.

Gunleiba Wangkeirakpam restored India's lead in the 63rd minute, only for Hamza Yasir to equalise for Pakistan seven minutes later. Rahan Ahmed, then, stepped up to score the match-winning goal for India in the 73rd minute.

Abdullah's controversial celebrations came only a day after Pakistan cricketers Haris Rauf and Sahibzada Farhan made provocative gestures during their Asia Cup Super 4s match against India in Dubai on Sunday.

India won the game by six wickets with their openers adding 105 runs for the first wicket, before their younger footballing counterparts got the better of Pakistan at the Racecourse International Stadium in the Sri Lanka capital.

EXPRESS READ

Bengaluru Bulls beat Gujarat Giants in PKL

JAIPUR: Skipper Yogesh's defensive acumen ensured Bengaluru Bulls' 28-24 win over Gujarat Giants in a pulsating Pro Kabaddi League match here on Monday. Despite a late surge from the Giants, it was the Bulls' defensive discipline, led by Yogesh, that made the difference with his six points, alongside Akash Shinde's seven points, as their side returned to winning ways.

Rahul co-owner of PVL team from Goa

CHENNAI: India cricketer KL Rahul has joined the ownership group of the Goa Guardians ahead of Season 4 of the RR Kabel Prime Volleyball League. For the first time as co-owner of a professional sports team, Rahul wants to give volleyball the recognition it deserves. The Goa Guardians, who'll be making their debut this October, will compete alongside top franchises in a high-energy format.

UP Rudras say they are withdrawing from HIL

NEW DELHI: Hockey India League (HIL) franchise UP Rudras on Monday said they are withdrawing from the event as financial challenges have made it "untenable" for them to carry on playing in the competition. The franchise termed it a difficult decision. "This was not an easy call," said team director Cedric D'Souza.

Surfer Kamali bags double crown

CHENNAI: State surfers made history, sweeping major national titles across categories on the final day of the Covelong Classic 2025, which was part of the Water Sports Festival presented by the Tamil Nadu Government Tourism Department. Kamali Moorthy clinched both the women's open and the girls' U-16 categories.

Liga: Torres' brace helps holders Barca win 3-0

AGENCIES @ Barcelona

FERRAN Torres struck twice for champions Barcelona as they beat Getafe 3-0 on Sunday to stay on Real Madrid's tails at the top of La Liga.

Dani Olmo was also on target for the Catalans, who trail leaders Madrid by two points after Xabi Alonso's side beat Espanyol on Saturday to maintain their 100 per cent record.

Atletico Madrid's stuttering start to the season continued in a 1-1 draw at Mallorca, in which their striker Julian Alvarez missed a penalty.

Playing at the 6,000 capacity Johan Cruyff stadium besides their training ground again as the club waits for the necessary licences to reopen their renovated Camp Nou home, Barcelona dominated Getafe. Despite his brace against Newcastle in the Champions League, German coach Hansi Flick left Marcus Rashford on the bench, with Spanish media reporting that it was because the England international was late for a morning meeting.

Barcelona's Ferran Torres (R) celebrates a goal with Dani Olmo on Sunday | AP

Worlds fiasco: Aman served show cause notice

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

THE Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) on Monday issued a show cause notice to Paris Olympics bronze medallist Aman Sehrawat for being overweight and subsequently getting disqualified from the recently-concluded World Championships in Zagreb, Croatia. Aman, who was regarded as a medal contender going into the marquee event, was found overweight during the weigh-in ahead of bouts in the 57kg, which led to his disqualification.

"You were selected to represent India in the 57 kg weight category (Freestyle) for participation in the 2025 Senior World Championship held at Zagreb (Croatia) from 13th to 21st September. You were deputed to attend the Acclimatisation Camp at Porec (Croatia) commencing from 25th August 2025, well in advance of the Championship. Despite reporting at the camp 18 days before the commencement of the bout, you were disqualified from the competition due to being overweight by 1.70 kg," read the notice.

The federation further stated that the disqualification from the prestigious event has tarnished the country's image. "Being an Olympic medallist, the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) expects the highest standards of discipline, professionalism, and commitment from you. Such negligence in maintaining your prescribed weight category is viewed very seriously, as it not only tarnishes the image of the country but also causes immense disappointment to the wrestling fraternity and supporters."

The notice said the government has spent a substantial amount to ensure proper training to the athlete but he didn't act responsibly. "You are also aware that the Government has incurred substantial expenditure on your training and participation in Croatia. Despite this support, your failure to maintain the required weight category reflects gross negligence and lack of responsibility." The WFI asked the wrestler to reply to the notice by September 29 or an ex-parte decision will be taken. "Accordingly, you are hereby called upon to show cause as to why disciplinary action, including suspension, should not be taken against you for your negligence and failure to maintain professional standards. You are directed to submit your written reply on or before 29th September 2025. In case no reply is received within the stipulated time, the WFI will be compelled to take an ex-parte decision in the matter."

The failure to maintain weight has hurt Indian wrestling a lot in the last one year. The biggest setback was top woman wrestler Vinesh Phogat's disqualification for being overweight ahead of the 50kg final at the 2024 Paris Olympics. It deprived the country of at least an Olympic silver. The issue came back to haunt India as Neha Sangwan exceeded the weight limit and was disqualified from the U20 World Championships last month. She was supposed to compete in the 59kg weight category. The WFI then dropped Neha from the Senior Worlds squad for consistent weight mismanagement and suspended her for two years.

ONE FOR FUTURE

Meet 15-year-old archer Gatha, who made waves at Archery World Championships

CHANDRA PRABHU @ Chennai

ON a humid evening in Gwangju, Korea on September 12, 15-year-old recurve archer Gatha Khadake was living her dream in the Archery World Championships. She was facing someone whom she was idolising and had watched her game over the phone in recent years. It was Olympic Champion and World Number 1 archer Lim Sehyeon. While she might have lost her battle in the fourth round of the women's individual recurve 0-6, Gatha would be delighted to have taken home some valuable experience. Before she locked horns with Sehyeon, She outclassed Katherina Baueur of Germany, who is two times older than Gatha. Considering that this was just her second appearance in the global stage, beating someone who has been in the sport for as long as her life and who has tasted success in this stage is a commendable feat.

Perhaps, facing Sehyeon was the icing on the cake for Gatha. "We just saw them in videos and all, meeting them in real time would be a dream for me. I am glad that I got to meet them and play with them," she told this daily.

Gatha Khadake caught the eye of many during the World Championships

Athletes would have unique experiences of their own after rubbing shoulders with their idol on a competitive stage. For Gatha, that feeling has settled well. "It settled down after I played the World Cup Stage four in Madrid two months ago. I saw everyone and I was like, 'oh, what's there to get excited about?,' They were just normal players like us. It is just that they have worked hard on everything. They have reached this level. So we can also do better," she said. Outside the archery arena, Gatha is someone who was academically smart. Securing first ranks at school, Gatha was particularly interested in space science and wanted to make it to the (Indian Space Research Organisation) ISRO. Her father Anandrao Khadake recalled the moment when she had to choose between pursuing space science and archery. "So, we asked her to choose one. We told her that you have to select one and when you select one, you don't have to test for another thing in life again. So, she thought for a moment. She said, 'I will go with the archery I want to play,' Khadake recalled. Gatha initially trained under Ramesh Shirsat of the Indian Archery Academy in Tembhurni.

In a tournament, Gatha caught the eye of Harish Randive, secretary of the Solapur District Archery Association. Randive, according to her father, recommended her to senior archery coach from Pune Ranjeet Chamle. However, her rise in the sport meant that her mother had to give up her practice, which included a larger facility in Indapur, 22 kilometres from Tembhurni, to take care of her. "In the beginning, she used to travel once or twice a week and then we were getting closer to all these tournaments and things her mother had to shift to Pune only. But before that she has travelled almost four to five times a week to Pune," Khadake said. A round trip from Tembhurni to Pune comes at a distance of around 320 kilometres.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

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KIMS BHUBANESWAR :

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COLLEGE & HOSPITAL

- Established in 2007, part of KIIT Deemed to be University, by **Dr Achyuta Samanta**, to offer advanced treatment with care and compassion.
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- 2600-bedded, fully air-conditioned, multi-speciality hospital (PBMH), with a 300-bedded Super speciality Hospital and 300-bedded Cancer Centre.
- NABH and NABL accredited.
- Recognised as one of the top private medical institutions in Odisha and Eastern India.
- Serves patients from across Odisha and neighbouring states like West Bengal and Andhra Pradesh

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KIMS Hospital sets benchmarks in advanced healthcare delivery, patient care, and clinical innovation in Odisha and Eastern India

- **2600+ Beds** Largest private hospital in Eastern India
- **600+ ICU & HDU Beds** Advanced critical care across specialities
- **300+ Patient Cabins** Comfort, privacy & convenience for all
- **30 Modular OTs** Precision & safety in surgery
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OUR FACILITIES

2600 +BEDS | 750 +DOCTORS | 2700 +NURSES

600 +PHARMACISTS & PARAMEDICAL

3000 +OPD PER DAY

- Advanced Dialysis Unit
- Central Oxygen Supply
- ICU with Ventilator Beds
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- Deluxe & Private Rooms
- Home Care Services
- Ambulance Support
- 24×7 Emergency Services
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KIMS General Hospital is the heartbeat of our institution — offering round-the-clock General medicine, Surgery, Paediatrics, Gynaecology, and more. With expert doctors and caring staff, we ensure every patient receives timely, affordable, and dependable care for everyday health concerns and emergencies

DEPARTMENTS

- General Medicine
- Paediatrics
- Dermatology
- Psychiatry
- Pulmonary Medicine
- General Surgery
- Gynaecology (OBG)
- Orthopaedics
- Opthalmology
- Radiology
- Anaesthesiology
- ENT
- Pain Management
- IHBT (24x7 Blood Bank)
- Emergency Medicine

MEDICAL QUALITY CARE FACILITIES AT KIMS

- **Advanced Medical Equipment:** Cutting-edge diagnostic & surgical tech for accurate, safe treatments.
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KIMS - SUPER SPECIALITY HOSPITAL

KIMS Super Speciality is a premier destination for advanced medical care in Eastern India. Designed with a patient-first philosophy, we provide ultra-modern operating rooms, critical care units, cutting-edge diagnostics, and highly specialised departments including Cardiology, Oncology, Neurosciences, and Organ Transplant

SERVICES

- 24/7 Emergency & Critical Care
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FACILITIES

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- **Expert Doctors :** Team of 750+ experienced consultants and specialists.
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- **Patient-Centric Services :** Focused on compassionate, individualised care and positive outcomes.
- **24x7 Emergency & Trauma :** Round-the-clock emergency services for critical and urgent care needs.

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LEADING WITH CARE, HEALING WITH EXCELLENCE

Message From

DR. ACHYUTA SAMANTA

FOUNDER-KIIT, KISS & KIMS

SINCE its inception in 2007, KIMS has been dedicated to achieving excellence in medical and health education, research, and patient care. My vision is to create an institution committed to holistic healthcare, innovation in medical education, and compassionate service for the community. We also reach out to rural Odisha through our centres and mega health camps, ensuring that quality healthcare is accessible to even the most remote areas.

Our objective is to ensure that every patient is tested and treated with genuine empathy and kindness, upholding the highest standards of medical ethics and human touch in every interaction. By providing care at an affordable price, we make advanced medical services available to all sections of society without compromising on quality.

At KIMS, we believe that true healthcare goes beyond treatment—it is about uplifting lives with dignity, respect, and unwavering compassion. Every service we provide carries a healing touch, reaffirming our commitment to not just treat illness, but to nurture hope and restore well-being.

Our Cancer Specialities

We offer dedicated, organ-specific care for every major type of cancer, led by specialists with years of experience and the latest therapies.

- **Lung & Thoracic Oncology:** Expert management of all lung and chest tumours, using advanced diagnostics and targeted therapies.
- **Breast & Gynaecological Oncology:** From breast cancer to ovarian and uterine tumours, our team provides comprehensive, sensitive care.
- **Head & Neck Oncology:** Specialised in oral, throat, thyroid, and neck cancers with the latest surgical and non-surgical options.
- **Haemato Oncology:** Comprehensive diagnosis and treatment of blood cancers, lymphomas, and related disorders.

KIMS Cancer Care

A cancer diagnosis changes life in an instant. At KIMS Cancer Care Centre, our mission is to restore hope and health, supporting you and your loved ones at every stage. With a holistic approach and advanced medical facilities, we offer all-inclusive cancer care—right from accurate diagnosis to rehabilitation—under one roof. Located in a purpose-built seven-storey hospital, we provide seamless, coordinated care for all types and stages of cancer. Our compassionate experts work together to design personalised treatment plans, giving you the confidence to face cancer with strength and dignity.

Why Choose KIMS Cancer Centre ?

- **300-Bed Comprehensive Centre:** All-in-one cancer diagnostics, treatment, surgery, and research—under one roof.
- **29 ICU/HDU Critical Care Beds:** Round-the-clock intensive care with trained critical care specialists for complex cases.
- **24/7 Emergency Oncology Services:** Specialised emergency care for cancer, led by expert surgeons and support staff.
- **Dedicated PET-CT Unit:** High-end cancer imaging—one of the few centres in Eastern India with this facility.
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- **3 Advanced Operation Theatres:** Equipped to handle 100+ complex surgeries each month with utmost safety.
- **37-Bed General Ward & Day Care Chemo:** Day care chemotherapy and general wards for less hospital stay and greater comfort.
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Laboratories at KIMS

Our NABL-accredited laboratories offer reliable, high-precision diagnostics—24x7. Every sample, every report, every time—handled with care and accuracy you can trust

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- **Advanced Equipment:** State-of-the-art analysers, digital pathology, PCR machines, and automated sample tracking for rapid, accurate results every time.
- **Round-the-Clock Services:** 24/7 laboratory support for emergency, inpatient, and outpatient needs—so you never have to wait for critical diagnostics.
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DAY'S DIARY

Show premiere

On this day in 2009, the first episode of *Modern Family*, titled 'Pilot', premiered on ABC. It is a mock documentary filmed by an unseen documentarian

PLOT

The show addresses situations that real-life families encounter – sibling rivalry, pains of adolescence, ups and down of parenting, conflicts between spouses, and career growth

AWARDS

It was nominated for 85 Emmy Awards over its 11 seasons (250 episodes), winning 22 times, including 5 Emmys for outstanding comedy series (2010-14)

CHANGE IN REAL WORLD

The series made inclusivity fashionable. The US legalised gay marriages, a year after the characters Cameron and Mitchell got hitched on the show

Here's what's happening in ooru

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Game of Chaos

BENGALURU'S NOTORIOUS TRAFFIC JAMS ARE NOW AN AUTORICKSHAW VIDEO GAME AS DESIGNER HARIN NITISVAAR TURNS CHAOTIC COMMUTES INTO QUIRKY AI PROTOTYPES, CAPTURING THE CITY'S CHAOS WITH HUMOUR

SRUTHI HEMACHANDRAN

HOW many times have you felt you're playing a video game while commuting the streets of Bengaluru? While most of us rant about the city's never-ending traffic woes, product designer **Harin Nitisvaar**, who has worked with quick commerce delivery platforms like Zepto, Swiggy and the now defunct Dunzo, saw something else: a game waiting to be played. "Every commute feels dramatic, funny and chaotic. Perfect recipe for a game," he says playfully.

Nitisvaar built two concepts with AI tools. The first: a scooter game called *Mission Office* where players dodge potholes, weave past traffic and try to make it to the office without losing lives. The idea went viral, racking up 2.5 lakh views on X (formerly Twitter).

The second is a *Grand Theft Autorickshaw* prototype created with Veo3. Here, Harin used AI to generate JSON (JavaScript Object Notation) prompts and stitched static frames into a video. "People immediately started imagining versions for their own cities. The most fun part was watching the idea travel," he says.

The idea struck him during his commute through rain-soaked potholes, each trip feeling like a level-up challenge. "Once an auto anna was showing off his *Need for Speed* (a game) skills and banged into a pothole so hard I hit my head on the roof rod. He instantly slowed down, apologised and drove carefully for the rest of the ride," he recalls.

Scenes like these just felt too cinematic to ignore. Potholes became obstacles, cows snoozing on the road became level bosses and empty stretches turned into rare power-ups. What began as daily grind flipped into playful creativity.

What if Bengaluru's auto drivers themselves played it? Nitisvaar grins, "They'd probably say, 'What's new? We already play this every day.'"

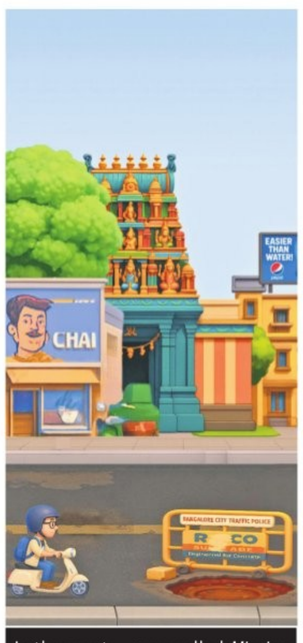
For him, the game sits between satire and survival: "It's laughing through the pain. People chuckle when they see the game, but then nod because it's exactly their life on these roads."

Online feedback has been equally hilarious. One parent quipped they'd only allow their children on Bengaluru roads if they survived the game first. Another suggested adding scammers who fake accidents to drain game money.

And what if he had unlimited resources to add wild features to the game? "Road ragers as end-level bosses," Nitisvaar says, "...and skins for EVs – Ola for speed, Chetak for nostalgia, Ultraviolette for power. Plus, a filter coffee or dosa mid-game to gain an extra life."

Traffic still tests his patience, but now he finds himself laughing more than cursing. And with players calling it the Indian GTA, Nitisvaar is already sketching plans to build a fuller version. "There's endless chaos here to gamify," he says.

For *Grand Theft Autorickshaw*, Harin Nitisvaar used AI to generate JSON prompts and stitched static frames into a video



In the scooter game called *Mission Office*, players try to make it to office without losing lives

Every commute feels dramatic, funny and chaotic. It's the perfect recipe for a game — Harin Nitisvaar, product designer

MEMORIES OF MISCHIEF

With the new film *Shin Chan: Spicy Kasukabe Dancers in India* hitting theatres soon, Gen Z Bengalureans share what makes this Japanese show so special

MAHIMA NAGARAJU

A cheeky five-year-old boy, Shin Chan Nohara, got up to all sorts of mischief with his friends' gang in the Japanese neighbourhood of Kasukabe, taking along Indian Gen-Zers glued to their screens throughout the 2000s and 2010s. With the new movie *Shin Chan: Spicy Kasukabe Dancers in India*, releasing across Indian cities in Japanese, Tamil, Hindi, and Telugu on September 26, the show and its characters are set to come closer to Indian fans than ever before, .

For many who grew up watching the show, this is a thrilling moment, as 22-year-old data analyst Akhilesh Srinivasallu says, "The kid in me is happy because *Shin Chan* was one of the first anime I watched growing up. From the food to the places, anime always makes everything look beautiful – I'm excited to see how they show India."

Keeping it real

Like Srinivasallu , for many fans, the show was their first look into Japan, a country and culture that felt far away, but the show made it seem close. The Nohara family's dynamic, which was loving but had plenty of squabbles, childish mischief, and recurring gags, is what has stayed with English master's student, Anush KMS. "When I thought of Japan, it was of people living a very different life, far from mine. But in *Shin Chan*, I loved the family's dynamic and their inside jokes. Especially with the mother (Mitsy Nohara) and father (Harry Nohara) – I could see my own family in them." Reshma Syed, a recent graduate, adds, "Cartoons like *Doraemon* and *Shin Chan* had some gadgets or superpowers, but *Shin Chan* was more realistic and his humour was relatable."

Undergraduate student Aanya Singh notes that Shin Chan's irreverent humour sometimes rubbed parents the wrong way, with the boy often asking blunt questions like 'Why don't you have a boyfriend' to his kindergarten teacher. "A lot of parents used to say 'Don't watch *Shin Chan*, he's very badtameez (bad mannered)' but I don't see it, it's just satire. That may be why Gen Z loves him – he has that defiance and he's rude but in a funny way," says Singh.

More than funny

While the show found its laughs in Shin Chan's daily antics, the movies are a different ballgame altogether, often showing the Nohara family and Kasukabe defence group (Shin Chan's friends) in fantastical situations. Popular ones, dubbed in Indian regional languages, saw the kids fighting to save a secret sauce from a group that wanted to eradicate street food from Japan, another saw Shin Chan's little sister kidnapped by an alien planet and crowned their princess, one saw them discover an ancient kingdom, and yet another saw Shin Chan time travel to save his future self's life. "I just keep re-watching them whenever I'm down," says Singh, adding, " They're hilarious, but at the same time, the movies are well made and nuanced. There's something really sad or moving at the core."

While kids may miss underlying themes, several Shin Chan films grapple with issues in Japanese society – *Crayon Shin-chan: Super-Dimension! The Storm Called My Bride*, for example, dealt with the pressure young people face to get married and the immense power conglomerates hold in Japan. "As an adult, I've realised how layered *Shin Chan* is – the way the family deals with financial situations, the relationship between the mom and dad, the dad stuck in corporate culture, the teachers and their problems. It deals with the real world in a satirical way," says Srinivasallu.

While seeing their beloved childhood characters come to India has excited many, some are cautious. "The dubbing in Indian languages made a lot of difference. When I watched it in Tamil as a child, I loved how they made Shin Chan, a foreign character, sound like a Tamil boy you could be friends with. I hope the film doesn't try to show just one, north Indian side of India," says Anush. Srinivasallu adds, "The train sequence in the trailer excited me, and I'm curious to see how many picturesque locations and songs they've included. I don't expect any crazy plot line, but I hope there aren't a lot of typical Indian stereotypes."

Viewers love the relatable yet funny family dynamic in *Shin Chan*

STATIONED IN 'LURU

Up-and-coming teen boy band OutStation perform to a packed room of fans in Indiranagar on Saturday afternoon | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

CITY READ

Community to perform musical of the *Ramayana*

The residents of Esteem Gardenia, Sahakar Nagar, will host *Ramayan, the Musical* on September 23, 6.30pm as part of the community's Dussehra celebrations. Over 60 participants, aged between 3 and 85, will perform the epic tale through a combination of dance, music, song, and narration. The production is directed by Kathakali exponent and vocalist Revathi Iyer, who has guided the ensemble in blending classical Hindustani and Carnatic music with texts from *Ramcharitmanas* by Tulsidas, the Kannada *Ramayana* by Kuvempu, and Tamil and Sanskrit kirtanas. For more details, contact 98454 99519.

Interiors store opens new outlet in Bengaluru

Luxury furniture store, Bay Window recently launched its experience centre in Horamavu, Banaswadi. The space will showcase the brand's furniture collections, curated decor, and design services, including styles like modern vogue, scandi minimalist, ethnic chic, and more. Co-founders **Siddhant Anand** and **Shivani Anand** said the centre provides a platform for homeowners, architects, and designers to explore the brand's offerings and collaborate on projects. This launch forms part of Bay Windows South India's expansion, following the opening of three stores in Hyderabad. For more details, contact 99455 11831.

New menu on offer by innovative vegetarian restaurant

Santé Spa Cuisine, a vegetarian restaurant in Indiranagar, recently launched a new ingredient-led menu bringing together Continental, Asian, South American, Korean and Indian influences with their philosophy of conscious, ingredient-driven dining. The menu is available from 11am to 11pm and features standout creations including the truffled edamame cappuccino, creole quinoa salad, cauliflower nasi goreng, and sushi cake with the emerald miso cheesecake for dessert. Costs range from approximately □2,000 to □2,500 for two people. For more information, visit @santebangalore on Instagram.

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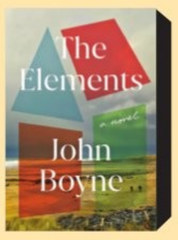
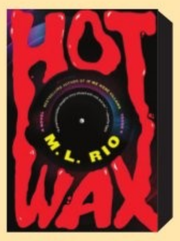


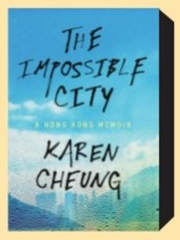
The Elements: A Novel
By John Boyne

Acclaimed Irish novelist John Boyne has created an epic saga that weaves together four interconnected narratives, each representing a different perspective on crime: the enabler, the accomplice, the perpetrator, and the victim.



Hot Wax: A Novel
By ML Rio

Hot Wax is a father-daughter story and a journey of self-discovery that captures the joy and danger of rock 'n' roll through one woman's reckless mission to make sense of the events that shattered her childhood.



The Impossible City
By Karen Cheung

From tenacious counterculture and underground music, to a unique history of youth-led protests, an insider's account of Hong Kong, the city of broken promises.

For the Sun After Long Nights
By Fatemeh Jamalpour, Nilo Tabrizy

A death galvanised Iranian women, who took to the streets and caused the largest uprisings in decades.

A RUNDERFUL MORNING!

A candid moment of Wipro Limited's executive chairman, Rishad Premji taking part in the 20th edition of Spirit of Wipro Run held on Sunday.

QUICKFIX

CHOCO SPRINKLE DOUGHNUT

INGREDIENTS

- **All-purpose flour:** 2 cups
- **Baking powder:** 2 tbsp
- **Milk:** 3/4 cup (with 2 tbsp melted butter mixed in it)
- **Sugar:** 1/4 cup
- **Oil:** For deep frying

METHOD

- Combine flour, sugar, and baking powder in a bowl.
- Stir in milk and melted butter to form a soft dough.
- Roll out dough, cut into rounds with a small hole in the centre.
- Warm oil in a deep pan over medium heat.
- Fry doughnuts until golden brown, drain, and enjoy plain or dusted with sugar.

Contributed by **Reshma,** Mumbai

NOWSTREAMING

REGIONAL

SHAKTHI THIRUMAGAN (Tamil)

The movie revolves around a political broker who operates both for and against the law, manipulating the political landscape to suit his needs.

Cast: Vijay Antony, Sunil Kriplani, Trupti Ravindra

- **Watch on:** JioHotstar

THE TRIAL (Hindi, series)

Noyonika must deal with new, complicated cases that will test her identity and bring her history into her legal career.

Cast: Kajol, Sonali Kulkarni, Jisshu Sengupta

- **Watch on:** JioHotstar

FOREIGN

THE MORNING SHOW (English, series)

With the UBA-NBN merger complete, the newsroom must grapple with a newfound responsibility, hidden motives and the elusive nature of truth in a polarised America. In a world rife with deepfakes, conspiracy theories, and corporate cover-ups, who can you trust? And how can you know what's actually real?

Cast: Jennifer Aniston, Reese Witherspoon, Mark Duplass, Billy Crudup

- **Watch on:** Apple TV+

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GOOD CARBS, BAD CARBS – HOW TO MAKE THE RIGHT CHOICES

Carbohydrates often get a bad reputation in conversations about weight loss. Many people believe cutting carbs is the only way to shed kilos, but the reality is more nuanced. Carbs, in the right proportion and from the right sources, play a vital role in energy, recovery, and overall health.

CALORIES AND WEIGHT MANAGEMENT

- Every macronutrient contributes calories: proteins and carbs provide 4 calories per gram, while fats provide 9 calories per gram. Regardless of the source, weight management ultimately depends on balancing calories consumed with calories burnt. To lose weight, you need a calorie deficit diet and to gain, you need a surplus of calories.
- This means that removing carbs completely will not guarantee weight loss. If overall calories exceed what you burn, weight gain is inevitable, whether the extra comes from fat, protein, or carbs.

GOOD CARBS VS BAD CARBS

Carbohydrates can be divided into sugars, starches, and fibre. Foods also differ based on their Glycemic Index (GI), which measures how quickly they raise blood sugar.

- Low-GI foods (GI ≤ 55): Whole grains, beans, lentils, fruits, and vegetables. They release glucose slowly, keeping you full for longer and supporting stable energy.
- High-GI foods (GI ≥ 70): White rice, potatoes, white bread, pastries, and cakes. They spike blood sugar, increase hunger quickly, and often lack nutritional value.
- Relying heavily on high-GI carbs can lead to overeating, calorie surplus, and nutrient gaps. In contrast, choosing fibre-rich, low-GI carbs supports satiety and long-term health.

WHY CARBS MATTER

- Glucose is the brain's preferred source of energy. Unlike muscles, the brain cannot store fuel and relies on a steady supply of glucose. Severe restriction of carbs forces the body to break down proteins for energy, reducing their availability for muscle repair and growth. Over time, this can cause muscle loss, which is not the same as healthy weight loss.
- Carbs also play an essential role in recovery after exercise. Pairing them with protein in a post-workout meal helps replenish glycogen stores and maximises the body's ability to recover.

THE BOTTOM LINE

Carbs are not the enemy. The key lies in portion control and making mindful choices between nutrient-dense, low-GI carbs, and refined, high-GI options. Eliminating carbs altogether may cause more harm than good, affecting muscle health, recovery, and brain function. A balanced, sustainable approach, supported by professional guidance, is the smarter path to weight management and overall well-being.

By Madhura Paroolkar, nutrition expert, cult – a fitness and wellness platform

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WHATWHENWHYWHERE

Bollywood Hour

Experience a weekly event offering a lively nightlife with drinks and music. Guests can enjoy cocktails and mocktails, non-stop music, and a DJ night featuring DJ Sanket.

WHEN: September 23, 8pm
WHERE: Tipsy Bull, Koramangala
DETAILS: highape.com

Spiritual Performance

Explore the journey into the divine supreme, where devotion and yearning deepens into graceful expression and joy. This solo Bharatanatyam recital by Bharathi SS combines music, storytelling, and cultural elements to engage the audience.

WHEN: September 23, 6.30pm
WHERE: Medai-The stage, Koramangala
DETAILS: theticket9.com

Poetry Hour

Enter the world of poetry as selected poet **Kary** paints through his words, blending tears of joy, nods of recognition, and fleeting smiles through several poems. At this event, participants can also share words and experiences that reflect the enduring impact of poetry.

WHEN: September 23, 7.30pm
WHERE: Urban Solace – Cafe for the Soul, Ulsoor
CALL: 98450 13055

Cinema Time

Engage yourself in a film screening of *Becoming Male in the Middle Ages* by Lan Yu, organised by The Parallel Cinema Club. Attendees can watch both films and participate in a discussion exploring themes of identity, relationships and society.

WHEN: September 23, 7.45pm
WHERE: Underline Center, Domlur
DETAILS: district.in

Cocktail Journey

Get along with your friends and enjoy precision-crafted cocktails paired with North-inspired cuisine, creating a unique interplay of flavours and textures. The event will feature unique drinks paired with complementary dishes for a full dining experience.

WHEN: September 25, 7.30pm onwards
WHERE: LOYA, Taj West End, Race Course Road
CALL: 86600 72870

Sculpture Art

Delve into the art of paste mixing, blending techniques, and utilising palette knives to craft textures, depth, and layered dimensions. Create a stunning sculpture painting on canvas board or a wall clock.

WHEN: September 23, 11am onwards **WHERE:** StoryZone, HSR Layout **DETAILS:** bookmyshow.com

Festive Play

Witness the Dasara Angotsava Theatre Festival and the Rangasamman programme. The theatre festival showcases NS Rao's *36 Alla 63* (a social play), and Govindegowda's Vikata Vilasa (a comedy play). Entry is free for all.

WHEN: September 23, 5.30pm
WHERE: Nayana Auditorium, JC Road
DETAILS: district.in

ARTCORNER

UNFOLDING THE BEGINNING

Depictions of mythological creatures and their narratives, as seen in Persian miniature paintings, come alive in artist Meghna Patpatia's intricate ink drawings

RUG-GED IT

IF there is one element in the design process that is underrated and can make or break any space, it's area rugs. They add personality and character to an otherwise gloomy setting. Choosing the right area rug not only completes the space aesthetically and visually, but it also makes it well-proportioned and harmonious with the decor.

While the colour, size, and pattern are major considerations, the weave and material type of the rug are equally important for maintenance, longevity, and durability. Here are a few rug types broken down to help you make your pick and change your spaces.

Braided rugs

Braided rugs are the most commonly found in departmental and home decor stores today. They have been around since the early American colonial times, when homeowners would make their own floor coverings from cloth scraps to add warmth and protection to

their spaces. These rugs are made by tying pieces of fabric together. This process of weaving makes these rugs reversible when one side gets dirty, making both sides usable.

These rugs are usually made from cotton and jute and are a current favourite in modern or bohemian homes. They are not as soft as rugs made from wool, though they are deeply textured and eco-friendly. Braided rugs vary in thickness and patterns depending on the fabric used to weave them.

Hand-knotted rugs

Hand-knotted rugs are individually and carefully crafted by the hands of skilled rug makers using a technique passed down for over a hundred years. Thousands of knots are tied to create various patterns, making each one different from the other. These rugs bring a taste of dignity and luxury with them and can upgrade any space effortlessly. Hand-knotted rugs are made from good-quality wool or silk, making it an expensive yet exclusive addition to your spaces. With the guarantee of lasting long, and being a one-of-a-kind designed rug, they often become treasured family heirlooms.

Machine-woven rugs

As the name suggests, these are less labour-centric productions that are made using electronically controlled power looms. Most commonly made with synthetic fibres like nylon and polypropylene, these are economical and easy to clean since the materials used don't absorb moisture like cotton or wool. They are tightly knotted and come in a wide range of colours, sizes, and patterns.

Shag

Shag rugs are timeless and stylish if used optimally. They are fluffy and soft and can be made with various materials across price points. They stand out from the other weaves because of their high pile. These are loosely looped, which makes them plush, comforting, and cosy for underfoot.

These are harder to maintain as dust can accumulate in the long loops. Even the best shag rugs won't do well in high-traffic areas due to their easy-to-snag loose, long pile. They make really good additions to reading corners or beside the bed for your feet to touch while you get off every morning.

Hand-tufted

Hand-tufted rugs are another low cost option as they are less labour-intensive too. These rugs are made by stretching a canvas, detailing a pattern, and tufting wool as per the pattern using a tufting gun. These are then finished with a layer of latex or canvas to seal the rug. The details on these rugs are not as detailed as the hand-knotted ones, but they make for a more affordable option alongside being a quick addition to your space.

Maintenance tip

For even wear, rotate your rug every six months. Flipping sides will still have some portion of the rug more worn out than the others, hence rotating them regularly helps with sunlight exposure, foot traffic, and furniture weight that create subtle but long-term harm.

DESIGN STORY

Neeta Jessani
A designer and lover of textures making functional spaces aesthetic

GINGER: THE SPICE RACK'S SECRET WEAPON FOR LAZY GARDENERS

THE GREEN MANUAL

Ekta Chaudhary
The writer is the founder of Garden Up, a company dedicated to greenifying spaces

EVER wondered why every self-respecting plant professional, from your ancient neighbour to the recent plant guru and me, always sneak ginger (*Zingiber officinale*) somewhere in the garden? It's because ginger is the original multitasker.

Seriously low effort, seriously good looks

Ginger doesn't ask for much – just a bit of warmth, well-draining soil, and not too much water or it'll sulk and rot. If it can survive being forgotten at the bottom of a veggie drawer, it'll thrive in your garden with the tiniest bit of love. You should grow these post rain, around September.

Spicy superpower

Not just a flavour booster for your tea or – brag alert – grandma's chutney, ginger is packed with medicinal mojo. Sore throat? Wobbly tummy? Pop over and nab some from your garden, feeling smug while you do it.

Issues? Nothing a shift can't fix

If your ginger's gone mushy, it's probably waterlogged. During monsoon months, just plonk the pot under a ledge so it's not swimming. Sun-dried ginger bits can live forever in your kitchen – another pro trick most home chefs hide from you.

Propagation – Grocery store to green glory

Pick the plumpest, 'eyed' rhizome, where you sheet a green bulge coming out from the grocery shop – no need for fancy labels.

Aesthetic bonus

Ginger's lush leaves bring a fresh, tropical vibe to your patio – and make even the plainest kitchen window look lovingly curated.

NUGGETS

Fusion Quartet to showcase classical and global sounds

Windmills, Whitefield, is set to host The Ravi Iyer Fusion Quartet, a world fusion project led by guitarist and educator **Ravi Iyer**, on September 26 and 27 at 7pm. Aimed to bring together Indian classical elements with global musical forms, the group will explore Hindustani and Carnatic styles alongside rock and jazz. Seating begins at 6.30pm. Tickets are priced at ₹2,000 for seating and ₹750 for standing. For more details, call 080 4521 7761.

Mixology and brewing session to be held on Intl Coffee Day

This International Coffee Day, Maverick & Farmer cafe, Ulsoor, is set to host a series of experiences for coffee enthusiasts on September 28, 4pm. Titled 'Friends of the Farmer', the event will feature beans from South India Coffee Company and Poomaale Estate, with selected home brewers demonstrating their brewing techniques. On October 1, 4pm, the coffee mixology session will offer participants the chance to learn mixing techniques and create signature coffee under expert guidance.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
CHANGE OF NAME

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It is for general information that I MANOHARAN KANNAIYAN S/o MUDAVATH KANNAIAH, R/o The Indian Gypsy Works Fellowship Trust, 28/2 Agra Road, Jayanthinagar Signal, PO: Horamavu,Dist- Bengaluru, Karnataka-560043, declare that name of mine, my wife and my minor son has been wrongly written as MUDAVATH MANOHARAN, MUDAVATH SABITHA and MUDAVATH CALEB VISHESH in my minor son M CALEB VISHESH, aged 17 years in his 10th class educational documents. The actual name of mine, my wife and my minor son are MANOHARAN KANNAIYAN, DHARAVATH SABITHA and M CALEB VISHESH, which may be amended accordingly.

CHANGE OF NAME
It is for general information that I MANOHARAN KANNAIYAN S/o MUDAVATH KANNAIAH, R/o The Indian Gypsy Works, Fellowship Trust, 28/2, Agra Road, Jayanthinahar Signal, PO: Horamavu, Dist - Bengaluru, Karnataka-560043, declare that name of mine, my wife and my minor son has been wrongly written as MUDAVATH MANOHARAN, MUDAVATH SABITHA and MUDAVATH JOSHUA VISHWAS in my minor son M JOSHUA VISHWAS, aged 15 years in his 10th class educational documents. The actual name of mine, my wife and my minor son are MANOHARAN KANNAIYAN, DHARAVATH SABITHA and M JOSHUA VISHWAS, which may be amended accordingly.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Syed Sajjad Ahmed Hayath** S/o Syed Hayath, aged about 59 years R/at No. 1328, 5th Main, 1st Phase, BEML Layout, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru - 560 098. I state that in my Aadhaar Card, Passport & other documents my name is mentioned as **SYED SAJJAD AHMED HAYATH** but in my PAN Card my name is mentioned as **SYED SAJJAD AHMED HAYATH SYED**. I declare through this affidavit above mentioned both names are of one and same person. Sworn before Advocate & Notary S. R. Tulasikrishna on 22.09.2025.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, RUKMANI D K, residing at # 349, Behind Ranganatha Temple, Yemalur. Yemalur Post, Bangalore-560037, have changed my Minor Daughter name from **(OLD NAME) SANDYA K to (NEW NAME) SANDHYA K** vide affidavit dated 22.09.2025 sworn before Notary A.Manjula., Bangalore.

DECLARATION
I, **POOJA BELURE** D/o Basweshwar Belure, aged about 31 years, R/at Flat No.16.04.07, Shriram Sameeksha, Kuvempu Nagar, Abbigere Road, Bengaluru - 560015, I declare that both the names **POOJA BASWARAJ BELURE, POOJA BASWESHWAR BELURE** and **POOJA BELURE** are one and the same person myself only, vide affidavit dated 21-09-2025, sworn before notary T.V. Bhadravijaya, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME), MARIYAM TAJ, W/o Mr. Naseer, D/o Mr. Khaleel Taj & Mrs. Fasiha Taj, Age About 34 years, Residing at No: 506/1, 11th Cross, Near Noor Ul Huda Masjid, Govindpura, Bangalore -560045. have changed my Name from **(OLD NAME) MARIYAM TAJ to (NEW NAME) MARIYAM Z** Vide affidavit dated 20/08/2025 sworn b meefore Notary " C. Sharada, B.Sc., L.L.B", Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VENKATESH,** S/o Sri Thimmaiah, age 39 years, R/at No. 126, 5th E Main, Bhovi Colony, Basaveshwaranagara, Bangalore-560 079 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **VENKATACHALA M** to **VENKATESH,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **VENKATESH** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 20th Sept. 2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L. VEENA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **CHINTHAMALLA VENKATRAMAIAH,** S/o Chinthamalla Ramarao, age 59 years, permanent R/o Q.No.D2-29, Pullical Nagar, Sullurpeta, Nellore, Andhra Pradesh-524121, presently R/at Door No. 1D-602, ISRO Dos Housing Colony, Domlur, Bengaluru-560 071 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **CH. VENKATRAMAIAH** to **CHINTHAMALLA VENKATRAMAIAH,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **CHINTHAMALLA VENKATRAMAIAH** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 22nd Sept. 2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, LAKSHMI SRIVATSA N.M S/o Manjunatha N.H, aged about 18 years, residing at No.05, 14TH Cross Havanoor Extension, Bagalgunte, VTC: Bangalore North, PO: Nagasandra, Sub District Bangalore North, Bangalore - 560 073, have changed my name from **N.M LAKSHMI SHREEVATSA** to **LAKSHMI SRIVATSA N.M.,** vide affidavit dated 22/9/2025 sworn to before A Prabhakar Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO.16120088N, HAV, L HAKEEM P, Residing at Manniyil (H), Athanikkal, Valluvambram (Post), Malappuram (Dist), KERALA (State), PIN: 673642, Have Changed My Father **(OLD NAME) MUHAMMAD KUTTY POTHANGODAN** to **(NEW NAME) POTHANGODAN MUHAMMEDKUTTY** And Mother **(OLD NAME) KHADEEJA M C** to **(NEW NAME) KADEEJA** Vide Affidavit Dated 15.09.2025 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Smt Chauhan Harshida,** Aged about 26 years, W/o Lathiya Prakash, R/at No.06, Serpentine Road, Kumar Park West Extension Bangalore North Sheshadripuram, Bangalore - 560020,
I hereby declare that **Smt Chauhan Harshida and Smt Harshita Prakash lathiya** are and the same and both the name belongs to me only, & hereinafter in all records, deeds, documents and other writings in my name **Smt Chauhan Harshida only.** vide Affidavit dated:18/09/2025 Sworn to before JANARDHANA, B.A.L., LL.B., Advocate and Notary, at Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PRAKASHCHAND** S/o. Kawarilal, aged about 65 years, residing at RRBC Flat No. 302, 3rd Floor, Industrial Layout, BSK IInd Stage, Bangalore-560070. Hereby declare that, I have changed my name from **'PRAKASHCHAND' to "PRAKASHCHAND BAFNA",** vide Affidavit dated 22.09.2025, Sworn before Advocate and Notary L. Shankaranarayana, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Neha Sanjeevkumar Phirangi (Old Name), D/o Sanjeevkumar Rachappa Phirangi, Aged about 32 years, Resident at no.450, 3rd Block, 11th Cross, HMT Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore-560097, declare that I have changed my name from **Neha Sanjeevkumar Phirangi** (Old Name) to **NEHA ADISH AUBEELUCK** (New Name). Henceforth I shall be known and called as **NEHA ADISH AUBEELUCK** (New Name) for all my personal, official and legal purposes, vide Affidavit dated 20-09-2025 before Notary Sri.R.Ramesh at Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAMAMURTHY JYOTI,** aged about 43 years, W/o. Udaya Kumar, residing at #14/A, 9th Main, BTM 1 Stage, New Gurappanpalya, Bengaluru 560029 have changed my name to **JYOTHI UDAY,** vide affidavit dated: 22.09.2025 before Notary **Meer Hassan,** Bengaluru.

ಹೆಸರು ಬದಲಾವಣೆ
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು – 560 092, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಉತ್ತರ, ಸಹಕಾರನಗರ ಅಂಚೆ, ಅಮೃತಹಳ್ಳಿ, ಮುನಿಗುರಪ್ಪ ಲೇಔಟ್, ನಂ. 85 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿರುವ ರವಿಕುಮಾರ್ ಎನ್ ರವರ ಧರ್ಮಪತ್ನಿಯಾದ ಸುಮಾರು 39 ವರ್ಷ ವಯಸ್ಸಿನ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಪುಷ್ಪ ಎಸ್.ಕೆ ಆದ ನಾನು ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಕೆಳಕಂಡಂತೆ ಪ್ರಮಾಣೀಕರಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ ನನ್ನ ಮಗಳ ಹೆಸರು ಅವಳ ಜನನ ಪ್ರಮಾಣಪತ್ರ, ಆಧಾರ್ ಕಾರ್ಡ್ ಮತ್ತು ಶಾಲಾ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಧವಾನಿ. ಎಸ್ ಎಂದು ನಮೂದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ನನ್ನ ಮಗಳ ಹೆಸರನ್ನು **ಮೌಲ್ಯ ಆರ್ (MOULYA. R)** ಎಂದು ಬದಲಾಯಿಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆಂದು ದಿನಾಂಕ 22/9/2025 ರಂದು ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ನೋಟರಿ ಮತ್ತು ವಕೀಲರಾದಂತಹ ಡಿ. ಜೆ. ಶಾಂತಪ್ಪ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ರವರ ಸಮಕ್ಷಮದಲ್ಲಿ ದೃಢೀಕರಿಸಿತ್ತೇವೆ.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) MANISH MALIK,** mother of NO.16135393X, SPR, MOHIT, Residing at House NO.466, Seenk (Vill), Ishrana (Tehsil), Seenk (Post), Panipat (Dist), HARYANA (State), PIN: 132103, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) MURTI** Vide Affidavit Dated 09.09.2025 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) KUMAR, residing at No.349, Chowdeshwari Temple Street, Near Anjaneya Temple, Marathahalli, Marathahalli Colony Post, Bangalore-560037, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) KUMAR to (NEW NAME) KUMAR C N** vide affidavit dated 22.09.2025 sworn before Notary A.Manjula., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ARUNA .K.M** W/o. N. Meghanatha Naidu, D/o. Late Muniswamy Naidu, Aged about 54 years, R/at No. 406, Ajjantha Nest Apartment, Nandakumar Layout, Near S.V.S. School, Ramanjineya Nagar, Chikkalasandra, Subramanyapura Post, Bengaluru - 560 061, do hereby declare that my name was mentioned as **ARUNA .K.M, ARUNA .N** and **ARUNA** in my education documents, my pan card and also in my property registered documents are all my names used with different initials and without initial with my name all this names pertaining to me only. Henceforth I use my name as **ARUNA .K.M** in all my future transactions wherever necessary. Vide affidavit dated 20.09.2025 sworn to before Hemalatha .P., Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SMT. PRAVEENA SHESHAGIRI DESHPANDE,** aged about 63 years, W/o. Sheshagiri, residing at Flat No. 107, B Block, Puja Nakshatra Apartment, 1st Main, Ramachandrappa Layout, Near Shopwel Supermarket, Gubbalala Main Road, Bengaluru-560061, Karnataka, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **Praveena Deshpande** to **PRAVEENA SHESHAGIRI DESHPANDE,** vide affidavit dated 20.09.2025, sworn to before S.N. Madhu, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Sri KAMAL JEET,** S/o. Dhani Ram, aged about 46 years, residing at No. C091, Assetz Marq Apartment, Whitefield, Hoskote Road, Kannamangala, Bangalore Karntaka-560115, do hereby declare that my daughter **RUHI DHIMAN** date of Birth was wrongly mentioned as **29 June 2009** instead of **29 July 2009** in the migration certificate, I have corrected my daughter date of birth as **29.7.2009** vide affidavit dated 04.08.2025, sworn to before Sumithra .N, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ANJUM FARHAN MOHAMMED,** S/o. Mohammed Ayaz, aged about 41 years, residing at #29/1, Millers Road, 1st Cross, Jayamahal, Bengaluru North, BensonTown, Bengaluru 560046 have changed my name from **ANJUM FARHAN MOHAMMED** to **ANJUM FARHAN,** vide Affidavit Dated: 20/09/2025, sworn before Notary **N.NARAYANA SWAMY,** Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **R G SATHYABHAMA** also known as **H S SATHYABHAMA,** W/o R. Govardhana, R/at No. 03, Sri Kalki Nilayam, 6th Main, 3rd Cross, N R Colony, Bangalore-560 019 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **H S SATHYABHAMA** to **R G SATHYABHAMA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **R G SATHYABHAMA** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 20-09-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S.N. MADHU** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **CH. VENKATRAMAIAH** (Old Name), Son of CHINTHAMALLA RAMARAO, aged 59 years, Permanent Resident of Q.NO.D2-29, PULLICAL NAGAR, SULLURPETA, NELLORE, ANDHRA PRADESH-524121, Presently Residing at DOOR NO.1D-602, ISRO DOS HOUSING COLONY, DOMLUR, BENGALURU-560071, KARNATAKA, declare that I have changed my name from **CH. VENKATRAMAIAH** (Old Name) to **CHINTHAMALLA VENKATRAMAIAH** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **CHINTHAMALLA VENKATRAMAIAH** (New Name) for all my personal, official & legal purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 22/09/2025 before Notary **GANGARAJU.B.N.** at BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **A.Vasthi,** aged 59 years, residing at No: C-102, Sree Ram Swagruha Apartments, Sai Garden, Srinidhi Layout, Vidyaranyapura Post, Bengaluru - 560097, have changed my name from **VASTHI CHRISTUDHAS JOHNDROSE to A. VASTHI** Affidavit dated 22-09-2025 Sworn before B. PRASANNA, Advocate, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, UTHARIA MARY KALPANA W/o. Maria Bernad, and D/o Jayanathan G, aged about 42 years, residing at No. 358, Kevin Nest 2DM Cross OMBR Layout, Chikka Banaswadi, Banaswadi, Kalyananagar, Bengaluru-560043, have changed my name to **J.UTHRIA MARY KALPANA,** vide affidavit dated: **L Gopalakrishna,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, NOOR HUMERA AFZA, W/o. Shujah Ahmed, aged 29 years, residing at No. 66, 5th Cross, Byrasandra Official Layout, Jayanagar 1st Block East, Bengaluru South, Jayanagar post, 3rd Block, Bengaluru - 560011, I declare that below mentioned both names **NOOR HUMERA AFZA** AND **NOOR HUMERA** belongs to me only and one and the same person's names only, vide affidavit dated 22/9/2025 sworn to before Puttaramaiah Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Harshavardhan Gowda Ravi Rabbanna, S/o. Ravi Rabbanna Babasahebarapalya Madaiah, R/at #59, Babasahebara Palya, Near Railway under pass, Kengeri, Bengaluru - 560060, Karnataka, India. have changed my name from **HARSHAVARDHANA GOWDA RAVI** to **HARSHAVARDHAN GOWDA RAVI RABBANNA** vide affidavit dated 17.9.2025 sworn before Advocate and Notary Deepa M, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Poonam Kulwal** D/O: NavalKishore Radheshyam Kulwal Aged: 43, residing at: B303, Oceanus Triton, Sarjapur Road, Near Motherhood Hospital, Bellandur, Bengaluru - 560103, have changed my name from **Poonam NavalKishore Kulwal** to **Poonam Kulwal,** vide affidavit dated 22/9/2025 sworn to before K V Mani Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, YAMBARM MADHUSUDANA REDDY Son of Yambarm Bhupathi Reddy, aged 47 years, Residing at SLV Residency, F F, 1st Floor, Gubbalalu Main Road, Uttarahalli, Subramanyapura Post, Bengaluru - 560 061, I declare that **YAMBARM MADHUSUDANA REDDY** and **MADHUSUDANA REDDY** are the names pertains to me only. Henceforth I shall be known and called as **YAMBARM MADHUSUDANA REDDY** for all practical purposes and I sign accordingly., vide affidavit dated 22/9/2025 sworn to before T C Thimmaraja Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I. MR.SANTHOSH.G. S/o Gopala Krishna Bhat, aged 47 years, residing at No. 512, 12th Cross, Bhagyalaxmi Temple Road, Bhavaneshwarinagar, T. Dasarahalli, Bangalore - 560 057, have changed my name from **SANTHOSH BHAT** to **SANTHOSH.G,** vide affidavit dated 25/8/2025 sworn to before Anuradha D Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I **B A VASANTHA KUMAR** S/o P V Anjaneyalu Residing at No.162/A 6th Main, KGE Layout, New BEL Road, Bengaluru - 560094. Hereby solemnly declare that I have changed my name from **B A VASANTHA KUMAR** to **B A VASANTH KUMAR** vide affidavit dated 22.09.2025 sworn to before Notary, **S R Ravikumar,** Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT
We, **1) RATISH RAMA IYER,** S/o Mr. K.T. Rama Iyer, age 43 years and **2) NAMRATA RATISH IYER,** W/o Mr. Ratish Rama Iyer, age 43 years, R/at Flat No. NB3-G2, Vijaya Enclave, Vijaya Bank Layout, Bilekahalli, Bangalore South, Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru-560 076 do hereby declare that in the birth certificate of our son named **JISHNU RATISH IYER,** father name is wrongly recorded as RATISH IYER instead of **RATISH RAMA IYER** and mother name is recorded as NAMRATHA IYER instead of **NAMRATA RATISH IYER,** vide affidavit dated 22-09-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MOHAMMED HUSSAIN .K** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUSHILA** spouse of Om Prakash resident of A-119, SNCO'S Mess Air Force Station, Jalahalli East, Bengaluru - 560013, have changed my name from **SUSHILA** to **SUSHILA DEVI,** vide Affidavit Dated 20-09-2025, Before Advocate and Notary **S PRAKASH,** Reg No. 7865/09 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Mrs. NIKITHA SARIKA GOWDA,** D/o. Sri. late M.H. Lakshmana Gowda, age 43 years, Residing at T 408 Saketh hillside Apartment, gurudatha layout Hosakerehalli, Banashankari 3rd stage, Bangalore-560085. I have changed my name from **(Old Name) "VINUTHA M.L"** to **(New Name) "NIKITHA SARIKA GOWDA".** Henceforth, I would like to continue my name as **"NIKITHA SARIKA GOWDA"** in my all future documents. Vide affidavit dated **06.01.2015** sworn before **S.N MADHU,** Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

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Kantara: Chapter 1 trailer promises fiery faith and a living forest

A SHARADHAA

RISHAB SHETTY doesn't just return with a film; he returns with a legend. The trailer for *Kantara: A Legend, Chapter 1*, released on Monday, promises a sweeping mythological epic that blends folklore, faith, and fundamental human conflict against the backdrop of coastal Karnataka's dense wilderness.

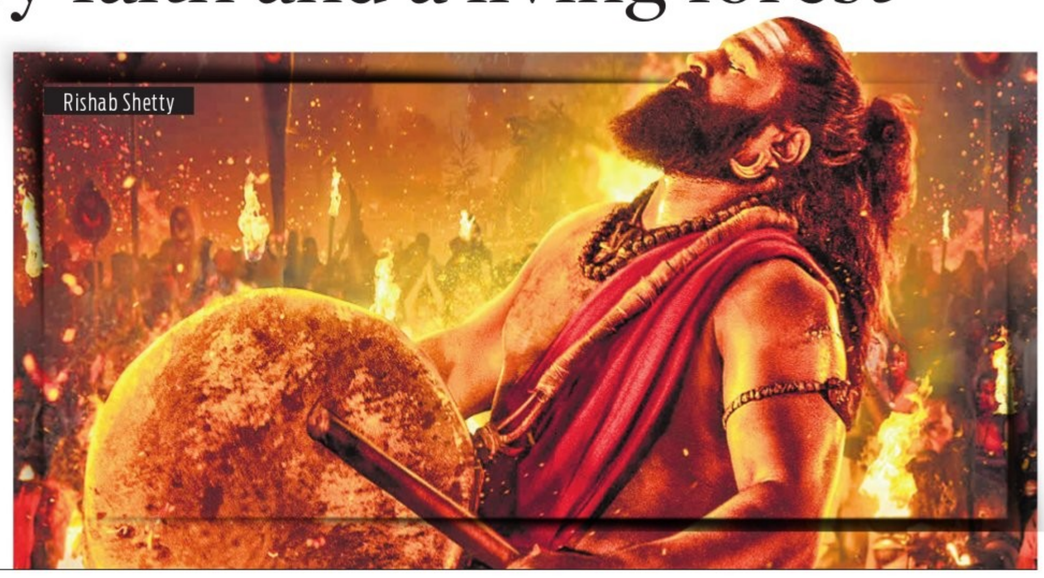
This film is a prequel to Rishab Shetty's 2022 hit *Kantara*. It takes us roughly 1500 years back to the Kadamba dynasty era to explore the origins of Kaadubettu Shiva, a figure worshipped, feared, and remembered in the region's ancestral lore. This isn't just a continuation of a franchise; it is a cultural exploration. It tells the story of how sacred stones became sites of faith, how deities chose to stay among mortals, and how blood and sacrifice shaped dharma itself.

The trailer sets a foreboding tone with its opening line: "Whenever mankind strays into adharma, Eshwara descends." This is a sacred warning—never step into *Kantara*. It suggests that the forest is not just a setting; it is a living, breathing guardian. The mythic dialogue fragments speak of vengeance and duty, including a chilling vow to erase dishonour "with the blood of *Kantara*."

Rishab Shetty as Kaadubettu Shiva, represents the duality of man and myth. He is joined by Gulshan Devaiah, whose subtle intensity hints at a role filled with resistance and intrigue. Rukmini Vasanth plays a crucial emotional role, suggesting that even legends are shaped by love and loss, and there is senior Jayaram, among the ensemble.

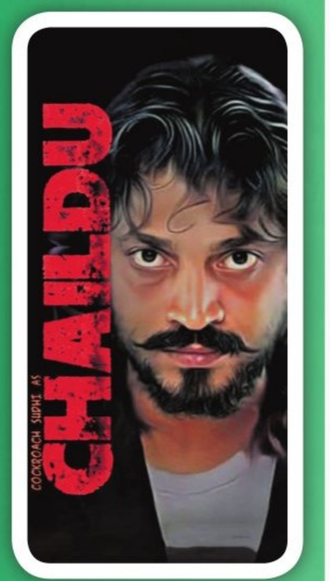
Behind the camera, cinematographer Arvind Kashyap creates visuals that turn the forest into a character of its own; it is mist-laden, fiery, and alive with a spiritual presence. Composer B Ajaneesh Loknath builds on his acclaimed work from the first film, adding a score that shifts between trance-like devotion and intense fervor.

Much of Kantara's cultural impact in 2022 came from its use of ritual performance, especially the Bhoota Kola, to ground storytelling in lived tradition. *Kantara Chapter 1* expands this into a sweeping origin story, positioning itself as both as a spectacle and a preservation of regional folklore


Rishab Shetty

When you wait this long, you value every frame: Cockroach Sudhi

The actor, who has played sidekicks, added a dash of humour in character roles, and was mostly seen as an antagonist in over 100 films, is now taking charge as the lead in three projects



A SHARADHAA

After a career spanning more than 100 films, Cockroach Sudhi—known to audiences for his quirky name and memorable supporting roles—has finally arrived as a leading man. And he will be a leading man in not just one film, but three.

Sudhi's upcoming outing as a hero is titled *Chaildu*, and is directed by Prakash Hebbala, who earlier made Haftha. The film, launched on Monday, is produced by Chandrashekar under the Kamala Films banner and is set to go on floors in October. While the makers are yet to finalise their technical crew, Sudhi is clear that the film is not a conventional gangster drama.

"Rowdyism is a familiar subject in cinema, but there are different ways of telling it. *Chaildu* has a unique screenplay centred on the underworld, and that's what drew me in. Becoming a hero has been a dream, but I didn't want to chase it with just any story."

For an actor who has spent over a decade playing villains, sidekicks, and comic relief in films, the transition to a hero has been slow and steady. "Every actor has that ambition. When people appreciate you in supporting roles, it further gives your confidence to hold the screen for two and a half hours instead of just 15 minutes, and I wanted to take that challenge," says Sudhi.

The journey to lead roles hasn't come easy. Sudhi admits he never planned on 'being a hero' in the traditional sense. "I always believed the story should make me the hero. Whether it was a villain, a character role, or a comedian, I stuck to giving my best. If the story demands I take centrestage, I am ready."

Alongside *Chaildu*, Sudhi will headline two more projects. One is directed by Nataraj, who previously helmed Wheelchair Romeo, and is titled *Karthik @ Cockroach*. This project has just 12 days of shooting left. The other project, which marks the directorial debut of lyricist Raghavendra Kamath, is titled *Fidha*, and is produced by Renuka Aradaya.

Sudhi isn't confining himself to Kannada cinema either. He is all set to make his Telugu debut with Om Kaali, directed by Simha, and another Kannada film, Idea, with director RK, where he plays the antagonist. "These roles are proof that I don't want to be boxed in," he says. "Hero, villain, comedian—I'm ready for anything. What matters is whether the story makes an impact."

For an actor who started as 'Cockroach' in the credits, the leap to carrying films on his shoulders is no small feat. But Sudhi is unfazed. "It has taken me time, yes. But maybe that's the best part. When you wait this long, you value every frame."

Cockroach Sudhi

Rakshit Thirthahalli brings Malnad's monsoon to life with *Moda Male Mathu Shaila*

CE FEATURES

After carving a niche with socially rooted dramas, director Rakshit Thirthahalli is stepping into new territory with his fourth feature, *Moda Male Mathu Shaila* (*MMS*). The filmmaker, who last directed Timmana Motegalu, describes the upcoming film as a woman-centric drama thriller set against the mist and monsoon of Karnataka's Malnad region.

"This is Shaila's story, told through the rhythm of the rains," Rakshit says. "Moda means cloud—silent, hovering, yet powerful. That silence is reflected in the characters, in the way the narrative unfolds."

The team has already wrapped production, shooting entirely in the monsoon with sync sound. "It was a challenge," he admits. "Every frame had to feel drenched in authenticity. The rains were not a backdrop; they became a character." Post-production is underway, with a release planned for January 2026.

At the center of the film is Akshata Pandavapura, who plays Shaila. "She is the face and the spirit of *MMS*," Rakshit says. The ensemble cast includes Gopal Krishna Deshpande, Sampath Mythria, Raghu Ramanakoppa, Bala Rajawadi, Utpal Gowda, and Ashwin Hasan.

Reflecting on his evolution as a filmmaker, Rakshit points to his earlier works, Hombanna, Enta Kathe Maharaya, and Timmana Motegalu. "Those films dealt with the conflict between humans and nature, and were deeply issue-based films," he explains. "This time, I wanted to move into a different zone. *MMS* is a drama thriller designed to travel beyond Malnad, to connect with audiences across regions."

Behind the camera is Shantisagar HG, who last worked on Hondisi Bareyiri. Editing is handled by Akshay P Rao, while music is composed by Hemanth Jois, who earlier collaborated with Rakshit on Timmana Motegalu. Despite the shift in genre, Rakshit remains rooted in his storytelling ethos. "I believe the Malnad landscape is cinematic in itself," he says. "The fog, the rains, the silences—they shape lives. With *MMS*, I wanted to capture not just the place, but its emotional weather."

A still from the film

Rakshit Thirthahalli

Salman, Aamir to appear in *Two Much with Kajol and Twinkle*

CE FEATURES

ACTORS Salman Khan and Aamir Khan are set to be the first guests appearing on the upcoming talk show, *Two Much with Twinkle and Kajol*. The makers shared a quirky poster featuring Salman and Aamir along with the show hosts *Kajol and Twinkle Khanna*. The caption to the post read, "Clearing our calendars because the stars are aligning this Thursday."

Aamir and Salman will reminisce about memories from their first film together, studying in the same school, and share stories of their long-lasting friendship. "Their unmatched camaraderie and equally fun banter will give audiences an unabashed look into their favourite stars on the show as Kajol and Twinkle bring out the authentic selves of every guest on the show," said a press release shared by the makers. The show will also feature Akshay Kumar, Alia Bhatt, Karan Johar, Kriti Sanon, Varun Dhawan, Vicky Kaushal, Govinda, Chunky Panday, and Janhvi Kapoor, among others, in the upcoming episodes.

CE FEATURES

'Not a Hero... A Warrior.' That's the striking one-liner driving *Sahyadri*, a multilingual film that blends raw intensity with spiritual depth.

The film has Rohit as the protagonist who treads the merciless path of dharma with bloodied feet, yet remains unshaken. Guarded by divine grace, his arrival is marked with a resounding flag planted firmly in the world of *Sahyadri*.

The film has already completed its first phase of shooting, with a character-revealing teaser getting ready to be unveiled. Music sessions and song recordings are currently underway.

Positioned as a dacoit–spiritual drama, *Sahyadri* aims for conviction in every frame. The makers have dedicated extensive time to ensure the story, casting, and execution hold equal weight across all its versions. With grand plans to present the drama in six languages, pre-production is in a steady process, considering the scale of VFX and the need to maintain a unified flavour across regions.

Backed by Renuka PN under the AR Films banner, the film has Rohit wearing multiple hats as writer, director, and lead actor. Supporting him is a strong creative team with Vinod Lokannavar on cinematography, and Navanath Vasudev taking care of the music..